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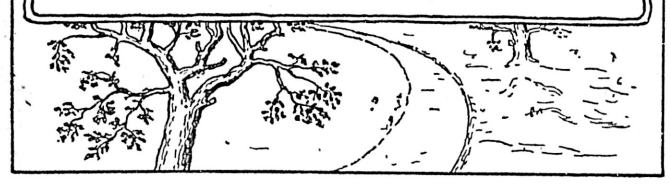

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MAKE APPEAL TO UNIONS

French Postal Employees Ask Help of Workmen's Organizations

TALK OF NECESSITY OF REVOLUTION

Some Strikers At Outside Points Ask Leave To Return To Work

Paris, May 14.—The striking postal employees adopted resolutions at a meeting tonight appealing to the workmen's organizations to make common cause with them. The meeting was attended by representatives of the workmen, who delivered inflammatory speeches, promised the postal employees immediate support, if necessary, and placed themselves under the direction of the revolutionary committee of the general federation of labor. These threats produced a big scare, but there is a strong suspicion here that the leaders in the movement are bluffing.

The strike of the postmen itself apparently has lost ground. The rank and file of the men seemingly are convinced that the agitators are acting for their personal ends, and as the tools of the revolutionary proletariat organizations, and they hesitate to risk losing their permanent situations and pensions.

At Chartiers and Dijon today the strikers, in view of the attitude taken by parliament, voted to return to work.

The government officials say the movement is collapsing, and point out that only 48,000 of the 300,000 railway men, whose support was pledged the strikers, today belong to the union, and these members are mostly trackmen and artisans employed in the shops.

Cutting Wires.

It is reported tonight that the strikers are cutting wires.

This afternoon's meeting was attended by 3,000 strikers and delegates from various unions. The strike leaders charged that the military proceedings taken by the government proved that it was the intention to drown out the strike movement in blood. They favored a direct appeal to the workmen's unions for co-operation, and amid great enthusiasm the strikers voted unanimously for an alliance with the workmen, "with all its consequences."

It was decided that the moment had arrived for a solid revolutionary movement under the direction of the general federation of labor.

The resolutions as passed give a pledge that the postal employees and the workmen's organization would unite for a battle to the death "in order to obtain liberty of thought and speech and the right for all employees of the state to form a syndicate."

The railroad and the gas men met tonight, but neither appeared disposed to give immediate effect to the promises made by their leaders this afternoon. The railroad employees postponed their decision until next Monday.

Mars Tears His Cap

Boston, May 14.—Rifts in the south polar cap of Mars were reported today by Prof. Percival Lowell from his observatory at Flagstaff, Ariz.

Daughters of the Revolution.

Sioux City, Ia., May 14.—Mrs. Emily S. Nettleton, a real "daughter of the revolution," died here today at the age of 91 years.

Killed By Train.

Havre, Mont., May 14.—William P. Prynn, of Helen, Washington, was killed by a Northern Pacific passenger train near that place early today.

Killed for Stealing Eggs

Philadelphia, May 14.—Caught stealing eggs from a car in the Adams Express warehouse in this city today, Frederick Zimmerman, a Pennsylvania railroad brakeman, was shot and killed by detectives. The detectives were arrested.

Night Rider Juror Suicides

Union City, Tenn., May 14.—Mansfield Haroldson, a prominent farmer living north of this place, committed suicide last night. He was one of the jurors who tried the eight-night riders last January, six of whom were sentenced to be hanged, and it is said the worry over that trial unbalanced his mind.

St. Paul Newspaper Deal

St. Paul, Minn., May 14.—Webster Wheelock, editor and one of the principal owners of the Pioneer Press, announced the sale today of the Pioneer Press newspaper, afternoon and morning, the twelve-story building and its plant, to C. H. Grasty and others interested in the publishing of the St. Paul Despatch. The absorption by the Despatch of the Pioneer Press undoubtedly will mean the discontinuance of the Evening Pioneer Press.

Veterans' Colony Scheme

Toronto, May 14.—During the approaching parliamentary recess members of the Imperial South African Veterans' association will press upon members of parliament the desirability of their scheme for the formation of an army reserve in return for grants of 320 acres of land. Ninety-one per cent of the veterans, it is said, will settle on the land. The conference of delegates drawn from various parts of Canada was concluded yesterday, when the decision mentioned was arrived at. Last night some two hundred delegates and their wives dined together.

RAILWAY RIVALRY

Hill, Harriman and Milwaukee Lines Actively Bidding For Western Territory

Chicago, May 14.—Construction of branch lines which will add over 1000 miles to the Pacific Coast extension of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul railroad, will soon be undertaken by that road. The territory to be thus invaded has heretofore been controlled absolutely by the Hill lines. The activities of the St. Paul road, in the opinion of railroad officials, will mean a substantial cut into the volume of traffic now enjoyed by the Northern Pacific and the Great Northern lines. Surveying parties working in the interests of the Hill, Harriman and St. Paul roads are racing neck and neck through untapped country in the northwest, laying out competitive routes, closely followed by construction gangs in charge of expert engineers in the employ of these roads. Every energy is being bent to have the new lines in operation as soon as possible.

WILL PROBE FURTHER

Attorney-General Foy Speaks Of Kinrade Murder Mystery—Foreman Spera's Letter

Toronto, May 14.—Attorney-General Foy has received the following letter from R. B. Spera, foreman of the Kinrade jury: "I see by the press that you are to take up the Kinrade case early this week with the members of the cabinet. The matter should be given a most searching inquiry in the interests of society. It is no doubt a difficult task on account of the manner in which the evidence of the principal witness was given, but I feel as a juror that our verdict was not nearly strong enough. I do not know what the medical report will be, but I feel that if sane she is a dangerous girl. Therefore, as I have said, the tragedy should be followed up. I hope I have not transgressed in taking the liberty of writing to you, but this, I feel, is not a trifling matter."

Attorney-General Foy says crown investigation of the Kinrade murder will continue: "The case will not be dropped until it is solved. The mills of justice may seem for a time to grind slow, but in the view of the department a slow course is a sure course in this unusual and unfortunate case."

Mr. Foy says he never heard before that the Kinrade jury had a name drawn up in their verdict, and that they had returned an open verdict in order not to interfere with the plans of the lawyers.

MAKES REPLY TO COMPLAINTS

General Manager Chamberlin On Conditions Along Pacific Section G. T. P.

Ottawa, May 14.—Complaints of ill-treatment on the Pacific section of the Grand Trunk Pacific are alleged in correspondence presented to the House of Commons by the minister of labor to be due to Labor Organizer Daly, who, according to a letter from General Manager Chamberlin, "is trying to make all the trouble he can."

The complaints were, first, that the men on the Pacific section were ill-fed and ill-treated, and, secondly, that they were mulcted in an unnecessary amount for hospital money. As to this Ma. Chamberlin says that the contractors are giving as good a medical service as does the railway itself. The best proof of the success of the hospital service on the Prince Rupert section is that health has been generally good and there have been very few cases of typhoid fever.

The records show that in 1908 there were only twenty-six deaths among the men of that section in a force which ranged from 3,400 to 4,500.

The report that the Grand Trunk Pacific is using alien labor is dispelled by the report of Chief Engineer Kelliher, who declares that neither the Grand Trunk Pacific nor any of its contractors ever employed foreign labor. During the years 1907 and 1908 the Grand Trunk Pacific materially assisted several thousand men in Great Britain to come to Canada at the time when its construction work was completely demoralized for want of labor. Foreign labor was never invited by the railway or its contractors.

TRAINING SHIP

Ottawa, May 14.—Answering my question, the minister of marine stated in the House that he was now negotiating with the Imperial government for a cruiser for a training ship for the Pacific coast, and that a further cruiser will be provided at an early date for fisheries protection.—G. H. Barnard.

Killed by Fall of Derrick

Salt Lake, May 14.—Two men were killed and another seriously injured today, when a large derrick employed in pile-driving collapsed and fell across the high tension wires of the Telluride Power company. The accident occurred at the Jordan river transformer station of the Utah Light & Railway company in this city. The derrick gave way and fell to the ground, carrying with it a wire of 40,000 voltage. This wire fell upon M. W. Wheeler, employed at the station as assistant operator, and burned him to death, while the frame of the derrick caught W. D. Freckelson and Andrew Weston, engaged in driving piles. Freckelson sustained a fracture of the skull and died a few hours later on the operating table. Weston escaped with serious injuries.

TORNADOS TAKE LIVES

More Destructive Storms Rage In Kansas, Oklahoma and Missouri

FIVE ARE KILLED AND MANY MAIMED

Fears That Death List May Be Made Longer When Wires Go Up

Kansas City, May 14.—A series of tornadoes in Kansas, Oklahoma and Missouri, killed at least five persons, injured 55, laid waste one town, wrecked a train and did great damage to property.

Twenty-five persons were injured by a storm that swept over Mt. Washington and Fairmount Park, suburbs of Kansas City.

The town of Hollis, Kansas, was swept away. Here three were killed and ten injured. A family consisting of five persons is missing. Their house is in ruins, and it is thought they are dead. Every building in the town was wrecked or damaged.

Near Great Bend, the tornado killed two and injured twenty. All wires are down in that vicinity, and it is feared the death list may be greater. Wm. Ackerley, a Santa Fe engineer, and Frank Nicholson, a conductor, were killed while with a bridge gang near Great Bend. The tornado wrecked the work train and blew it into a ditch. Several members of the crew were blown 100 feet. The piledriver toppled over, crushing Ackerley to death in his cab, where he remained with his hand upon the lever.

Over Large Area.

The wind spread over a wide area and injured many whose names could not be obtained. At Hoisington, Kansas, a tornado injured a number and greatly damaged farm property. It was not so severe, however, as that passing over other portions of the state.

At Pond Creek, in Oklahoma, a severe windstorm injured four persons and unroofed several houses. A blinding rain and hail storm accompanied the wind in all three states. Many washouts demoralized railway traffic.

The Missouri Pacific main line was washed out near Walcott, between Leavenworth and Kansas City. The Burlington and Santa Fe roads were forced to annul some of their trains. Electrical disturbances crippled telegraph and telephone wires, and on this account only meager reports from the stormswept area could be obtained.

Severe at St. Joe.

St. Joseph, Mo., May 14.—Henry Goodale was burned and his son badly injured by an explosion of gas caused by lightning during the worst electrical storm for years here today. The car service was crippled, and large areas are under water.

HIGH PRESSURE IN LEGISLATION

House Voting Supply At Rapid Rate—Waterways Treaty Discussed

Ottawa, May 14.—After spending the greater part of the day on the Montreal harbor commissioner's bill and a discussion concerning the waterways treaty, the House tonight began to literally "shove" measures through.

The pace set was almost a mile a minute, and as usual when the end of the season approaches with half the supply unvoted, there is little disposition to criticize even in the most perfunctory way, the various items. Thus it happened that ministers got their money quickly and quietly and easily.

The talk on the waterways treaty was interesting, in that it made it clear that whereas the government was prepared to accept the treaty before the rider of Senator Smith, of Michigan, was attached, it will not accept it with that change.

Natal Only Exception.

London, May 14.—Natal is the only colony which has not accepted the invitation to the defence conference.

Ontario's Printing.

Toronto, May 14.—The Methodist bookroom was the successful tenderer for the government printing. The contract usually runs upwards of $100,000 a year.

Killed By Explosion.

Key West, Fla., May 14.—In an explosion on the quartermaster's boat, No. 3, at Onadjoes Key, about twenty miles from here, three men were instantly killed and 25 badly injured. It is believed that others were blown to atoms, as hundreds of pounds of dynamite went off.

Heirs to Fortune.

St. Thomas, Ont., May 14.—Mrs. Donald Darrach, of this city, is one of the descendants of William Fortner, who are heirs to a fortune of $52,000,000 in Scotland. The descendants in Canada and the United States, who number 50, have made efforts to have the title to the estate cleared up, but so far have been unsuccessful.

SMART SENTENCES

Men Found Guilty of Violating Anti-Trust Act Given Imprisonment and Fines

Savannah, Ga., May 14.—Judge Shepperd sentenced today five men found guilty of having violated the Sherman anti-trust law in the naval stores case.

Spencer P. Shotter, chairman of the board of directors of the American Naval Stores company, was sentenced to serve three months in jail and to pay a fine of $5000. Edmund S. Nash, president of the company, was fined $3000. J. F. Cooper, vice-president of the American company and president of the American Telephone and Terminal company, was sentenced to three months in jail and to pay a fine of $2000.

George S. Boardman, treasurer of the American Naval Stores company, was fined $2000. Carl Muller, of Jacksonville, agent of the American Telephone and Terminal company in Jacksonville, was fined $5000. The cases will be appealed.

GOOD CROP PROMISE

Reports From Prairies Show Wheat Seeding Nearly All Done and Grain Above Ground

Winnipeg, May 14.—Wonderfully favorable reports of spring wheat seeding are being received here from all over the Canadian prairie west and there appears little cause for the wave of pessimism which swept over the country following the inclement weather conditions of April. Wheat is not only mostly in, but assisted by the fine growing conditions of the past week it is already above ground in many districts.

The following despatch received last night from Rosthern, one of the most aggressive spring wheat districts of Saskatchewan, is a fair sample.

"Wheat seeding was practically finished tonight throughout Rosthern district. Many farmers are already seeding oats. The weather has been good for the past ten days, no time being lost. The land is in fine shape. The increased acreage here is about 15 per cent. Rain is not needed. John W. Caswell has 18 acres of wheat nearly two inches above the ground."

Under Secretary of State.

Toronto, May 14.—Thomas Mulvey, assistant provincial secretary, has been appointed under secretary of state at Ottawa.

TRAM BUSINESS GROWS RAPIDLY

Contract For Enlargement Of Tunnel Let—Vancouver's Percentage

Vancouver, B. C., May 14.—The Vancouver Power Co. has given the contract for the enlarging of the tunnel between Lakes Coquitlam and Buntzen to the firm of Taylor Bros., of Huddersfield, England. The steadily increasing demand for power in Vancouver and vicinity necessitates the new unit, which will give another 30,000 horse power. It will cost $300,000.

An increase of nearly 50 per cent. in the passenger traffic over the city lines of the British Columbia Electric Railway Company within a year was shown this morning when the company computed its percentage due the city for the business of April, according to the agreement covering the tram franchise within the limits. The amount of the cheque is $1,920.09, which is to be compared with $1,371.65, the amount for the corresponding month last year.

For the four months of the present year the tram percentages paid the city amount to $5,570.38, which represents an approximate increase of 33 1-3 per cent. over the payments of $4,138.03 for the corresponding period last year.

BIG TIMBER DEAL

Seventy Sections Bought By Victoria and New Westminster Men For $250,000

Vancouver, May 14.—J. M. Mackinnon has sold seventy timber sections at the head of Rivers inlet and on Queen Charlotte Islands to Thos. Meredith, of New Westminster, and R. W. Gibson, of Victoria, for $250,000. There is a large amount of fir on the limits, the total of the timber being estimated at a billion and a quarter feet. Mills will be erected. The deal was all cash.

Toronto Man Murdered.

St. Thomas, Ont., May 14.—James Purdy, 35 years old, formerly of St. Thomas, has been brutally murdered at Gloucester, N.J., where he has lately lived.

New Zealand's Agitation.

Wellington, N. Z., May 14.—Today Socialists and Single Taxers showed such bitter opposition at a large meeting that they prevented the carrying of a resolution in favor of compulsory military training.

Worse Than Lemon

New York, May 14.—When Mrs. Harriet Stanton Beach had finished her suffragette address to a crowd in Madison Square garden last night, two men, responding to her plea, loaned their hats to be passed among the listeners for contributions for the cause. One hat came back containing $1.83 in money and a quantity of junk, including trading stamps, cigarette coupons and nails. While the other hat was being passed some one retained it and disappeared. The owner, in a loud voice, threatened to sue the suffragettes, as they disappeared in their automobile.

WELCOME TO OUR ALLIES

Admiral Ijichi, Officers and Men Accorded the Hand Of Fellowship

CROWDS CHEER VISITING BLUEJACKETS

Arrival of Japanese Training Squadron Marked by Enthusiastic Outburst

Admiral Ijichi is enjoying his second visit to Victoria. It is many years since he came first. It was in 1879 that he first saw Esquimalt when he came as a cadet on the Japanese training corvette Tsukuba, one time the H. M. S. Malacca of the Esquimalt fleet which Queen Victoria presented to the Emperor of Japan three decades ago for use as a training ship when Japan's navy was a small affair compared with the powerful sea-fighting force of today. Aso and Soya, former derelict Russian fighting ships raised by the Japanese and added to their fleet as training cruisers.

After a busy day of luncheons, receptions, and entertainments yesterday Admiral Ijichi said: "I am very thankful for the kind welcome which has been given to me and my officers and men under my command and wish you would express my sincere thanks."

The Aso and Soya, which were once the Bayan and Varyag of the Czar's navy, now transformed and showing no marks to indicate that the cuirass of dull-grey steel was once shot-riddled and rusted by submersion, steamed into the Straits early yesterday morning at 8:10, rounded Race rocks off which they were met by the B. C. Salvage company's tug William Jolliffe, Capt. Stratford, carrying the members of the local Japanese colony.

Steaming at slow speed, perfectly in line, with the speed cones hung forward on the Admiral's flagship, the four-funnelled cruisers became distinct, gradually closing up the distance, and as the William Jolliffe steamed close by on the starboard side, the Fifth Regiment band seated aft on the main deck of the tug began the national anthem of Japan:

Kimi ga yo
Chi yo ni, ya chi yo ni
Sazare ishi no
Iwazo to narito
Koke no muse made.

Japan's National Anthem

Bareheaded the Japanese sang, and from the warships came an answering echo. Along the rails the Japanese tars stood at attention, on the after bridge a crowd of cadets waved their caps, as again and again, punctuated with banzais, the Japanese sang and cheered. The William Jolliffe then rounded to the port side of the cruisers and came up alongside the Soya, keeping pace with the fighting ships, dull grey forts that moved with a foaming wash at their bows and stern, with only the bright red-rayed national flag floating free in the morning breeze behind to give color to the vessels.

Out from Esquimalt came the army launch Beryl, which had been placed at the disposal of the naval officers with the navigating lieutenant of H. M. S. Shearwater on board. The Beryl swung in alongside the flagship and Lieut. Burnham boarded the Japanese vessel and went to the bridge to pilot the flagship, with her consort trailing behind into Esquimalt harbor, where the mooring buoys had previously been made ready. Gradually a flotilla of small craft formed, launches and fishing boats, many small craft belonging to Japanese fishermen joining the little welcoming fleet with great Japanese flags at their mastheads, and with the convoying fleet, of which the William Jolliffe was the flagship, the Aso and Soya steamed toward the entrance of Esquimalt.

Firing the Salute

Suddenly the white naval ensign of Great Britain broke from the mizzen of the Aso and a flash of fire from the port side was quickly followed by the boom of a quick-firer; the Japanese flagship had begun the salute. Gun after gun boomed, first at one quarter, then on the other, seventeen in all, and as the Aso was wreathed with the smoke the crowd on the William Jolliffe cheered uproariously. Dull and indistinct, faintly heard in the distance, came the sound of the answering guns of the saluting battery at Work Point, where the artillery of the garrison were firing a salute in reply to the guns of the Aso.

Then the British ensign fluttered down and the warships proceeded slowly on their way to the entrance to Esquimalt harbor.

The Soya has great historic associations. Four years ago she lay below the waters of Chemulpo Harbor, a shot-riddled wreck, until Admiral Arai and his engineers raised her after great difficulties at a cost almost equal to her value. These decks on which the white clad Japanese bluejackets now were lined to shout answering banzais to those of their countrymen in Royal Roads had not many years past been covered with the blood of brave men who had not faltered even though they knew when the Varyag, as the Soya was then known, went out from Chemulpo Harbor with the little Koretz, to meet five Japanese warships led by the Asama, each one of which was her superior in weight of metal, that she had not the slightest chance of victory. Yet they fought, and fought well, until the riddled wreck, on fire and

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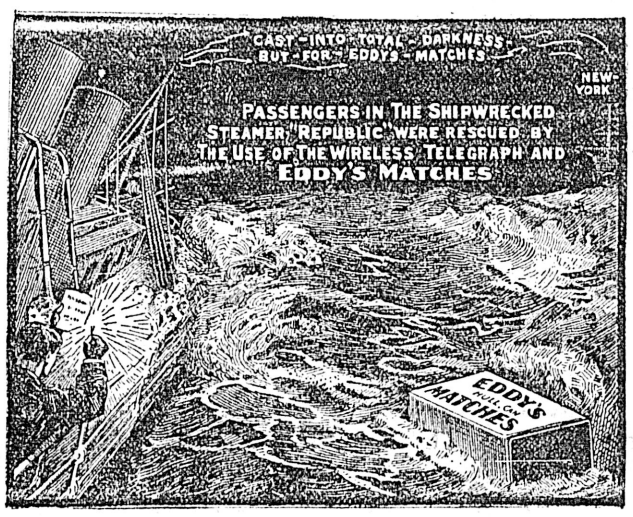

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YUKON OPENING LATER THIS YEAR

Navigation Delayed Much Beyond Usual Date, But Water Is High

Vancouver, May 14.—This year will witness the latest breakup of the ice in the history of the Yukon, in the river opposite White Horse, at the head of navigation. In past years the ice in the river at this point has gone out as early as April 15th, and the average of open water is about April 25th but last advices received at the offices of the White Pass & Yukon road from White horse under date of May 7th, announced that the ice was still holding. The latest previous opening of the river there was May 2nd, 1907. Advices from White Horse dated May 7th, stated that there was some water running over the ice, and it was expected that the mass would break in four or five days' time, so by now the river may be open.

Despite the lateness of spring all over the northern country, navigation will be in full swing much earlier on the upper Yukon this year than was the case in 1908, owing to the fact that the water will be three or four feet higher when the ice goes than it was at the corresponding time last year. This means that there will be ample depth of water for immediate navigation purposes. Last year the operations of upper river boats were hampered by low water for some time after the ice had gone out of the river and Lake Labarge.

The ice is still holding in the lake, but because of the more than average depth of water in the river at present it is expected that the lake will open with a rush when it starts.

WELCOME TO OUR ALLIES

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sinking, was steamed back into the harbor to be sunk at her moorings, where she lay for many months, until finally the Japanese naval men raised her and made her into a training cruiser.

War Marks Erased.

Now, with the sunlight of early morning shining on their grey-painted sides, no marks showed on the great cuirass; the shattered plates are all repaired; the terrible gents where the big shells tore through the armored sides, and the charred decks where the wounded lay not so long since—all have given place to the white smoothened decks and untrammelled, unmarked steel sides, that are like a warship new from the slips of the builder.

Small wonder that the Japanese cheered. They saw the fruits of victory of a war that to the majority of them was a distant turmoil they could not reach.

"Banzai! Banzai!"

The William Jolliffe came up closer, and again the Fifth Regiment band played the "Kimi ga yo!" Quick the hats—the majority wore silk hats with frock coats strictly in style—were snatched off and again they sang.

Board the Flagship.

The Aso had meanwhile rounded past the lighthouse and a boat, cleared away, as she swung in, was dropped overside with a swarm of oarsmen who took the chain to the mooring buoy. The Soya swung in close to Rickford tower and out from her iron sides a boat dropped and her chain was made fast. Then the Japanese sang and cheered again as the tugboat circled about the anchored warships, and the leaders of the local Japanese colony, Messrs. Nagano, Ishii, Kawaii, Oro, Taka and Kishedo, with Consuls Yada, of Vancouver, and Tanaka, of Seattle, and many visiting Japanese journalists from Seattle and Vancouver were taken on board the flagship, where they were received by Admiral Ijichi and his officers, and Capt. Saito of the Soya who came over to the flagship as soon as the vessels were made fast.

In his ward room, a spacious, well furnished room, with fireplace and mantel decked with photographs of famous Japanese naval men, with walls hung with well chosen pictures, mostly in foreign style, Admiral Ijichi received his guests.

Capt. Crawford of H. M. S. Shearwater, Capt. Edwards of H. M. S. Algerine, and Col. Holmes, D.O.C., and Major Bennett of Work Point came off quickly to pay their official calls and give the visitors invitations to various functions arranged ashore. The visits were short.

The Admiral received his visitors in the wardroom of the Aso. The table was spread with flowers, tastefully arranged and the room presented a chiefly appearance, seemingly like the living room of a well furnished home were it not for the iron above and the gun that poked over the gallery at the stern from the Admiral's inner room. Capt. Edwardes of H. M. S. Algerine, recalled meeting the Admiral at the Naval Club in Tokyo on his way from the China station to Esquimalt, and the Admiral told of how he was not coming to Esquimalt for the first time.

His Former Visit.

It was in 1878 that he came to Esquimalt. He was a cadet then, only a cadet like those future admirals berthed forward in the Aso, on board the corvette Tsukuba. The vessel was formerly the British man-of-war Malacca, one of the vessels of a former Esquimalt squadron. When on this station the Malacca stranded on Brotchie Ledge and after being temporarily repaired here she was sent home where she was repaired and was presented to the Emperor of Japan by her late Majesty Queen Victoria, about three decades ago. The Malacca was made a Japanese training cruiser and her first visit was to Esquimalt, where Admiral Ijichi was impressed with the surroundings.

"In my younger days I was a painter," he said, "here is a picture I made of Esquimalt."

It was a long narrow water color with the former Hudson's Bay building and wharf, the naval hospital and other buildings which have passed, showing in the picture.

"I see already that there have been many changes, and I expect there will be great changes, too, in the city, since I came last, which was twenty-nine years ago," said the Admiral.

Some others on board the ships have been in Victoria before. Capt. Shimamura was on the training gungoat Hiyei when she came here ten years ago.

Soon after the visit by the local Japanese Consuls Yada and Tanaka had been completed, and the naval and military officers had returned on shore Admiral Ijichi and his officers drove to Government House to make a formal call and were then driven to Work Point barracks for the luncheon to which they had been invited by Lieut. Col. Holmes, Major Bennett and the officers of the garrison. Many preparations had been made, flags were festooned about, and a large marquee was erected on the lawn fronting the officers' mess where luncheon was served.

Following the luncheon a reception took place, to which many were invited. His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor, Mrs. Dunsmuir, Mayor Hall, officers of the naval and military forces and many others were present, and a large number of officers attended from the Aso and Soya. Meanwhile a cricket match was played between elevens chosen from the navy and army. The cadets from the visiting warships were taken from Esquimalt in eight tally-hos during the afternoon to visit various points of interest in the city and following the reception at Work Point a large number of carriages were taken to the barracks and Admiral Ijichi and his officers were driven about the city until 6:30 p. m., when they were taken to Assembly hall, where a reception was tendered them by the local Japanese.

At Assembly Hall

Assembly hall was the scene of a reception last night given by the local Japanese to Admiral Ijichi and staff and the officers and men of the cruisers Aso and Soya. The entrance was enhanced by an arch of evergreens with incandescent lanterns that bore the word "Welcome," and the hall was profusely decorated with bunting and garlands of evergreens mixed with flags. Tables were spread well laden with tempting viands. Mr. Nagano was in the chair and Admiral Ijichi and his staff and officers of the two cruisers and the cadets, with the invited guests including Mayor Hall and the members of the aldermanic board, Capt. Crawford of H. M. S. Shearwater, Capt. Edwardes of H. M. S. Algerine, Major Bennett of the Garrison, Mr. Paul and others, filled the large hall.

Some interesting speeches were made. Following addresses by Messrs. Wawaii and Ono in Japanese Mr. Ishii spoke in English. He said that the Japanese of Victoria had long been longing for a visit from their nation's warships since the coming of the Hiyei ten years before and now that the Aso and Soya had come they were almost crazy with joy. It was a great day for them. He referred to the growth of the Japanese navy and to the Anglo-Japanese alliance, stating that Japan would be always found ready to espouse any cause in which Britain was engaged.

Mr. Yada, the consul at Vancouver, spoke in Japanese and was followed by Admiral Ijichi, whose address, in Japanese, was loudly applauded. He spoke of his previous visit to Victoria and of his gladness at being here again, and gave thanks for the enthusiastic welcome given him and his officers and men.

British Admiralty

Commander Crawford of H. M. S. Shearwater in a brief, but well expressed speech, spoke of the honor he felt to welcome on behalf of the British Admiralty the visiting warships and Admiral Ijichi and his staff. He referred to the advance of the Japanese navy and spoke of how the Admirals of Japan had always when reporting their victories credited them to the virtue of the Emperor. This was something worthy of emulation and he advised the cadets to take the lesson of that well to heart.

Major Bennett, district staff officer, said he was glad to be able to welcome the visitors on behalf of the Dominion government and made some pleasing references to the Japanese navy and the visiting vessels. Mayor Hall welcomed the visitors on behalf of the city of Victoria and regretted that their stay was not longer in order that they might have better opportunity to see the beauties of the city. Mr. Paul briefly referred to his residence in Japan nearly forty years ago and of the great changes that had taken place there since.

Following the completion of the addresses the assembly gathered about the tables and refreshments were served. Mayor Hall proposed the health of the Japanese Emperor and Admiral Ijichi proposed the health of His Majesty the King. Following an hour spent in general conversation during which time several songs were sung by the assembled Japanese cadets in a rollicking manner, the band of the Japanese flagship played the national anthems of both countries, and the gathering dispersed, the cadets being taken to Esquimalt by special cars.

Smoker At Drill Hall.

At the drill hall last night the bluejackets of the Japanese warships Aso and Soya and Shearwater and Algerine were entertained by Lieut.-Col. Hall and officers and men of the Fifth Regiment, C.A., and the officers and men of the garrison at Work Point. Tables were spread on the floor of the drill hall, which had been profusely draped with flags and a platform was erected at one side. The soldiers and their guests were seated at the well-laden tables and while the waiters saw that their wants were well supplied an interesting programme was carried out and was much enjoyed.

The scene was a remarkable one. The hall was thronged and the greatest enthusiasm prevailed, every number on the programme being greeted with loud banzais by the Japanese and cheers by the local forces. Included in the programme were selections by the Fifth regiment band, tug-of-war, boxing bouts, songs, etc., one most amusing number being a blindfold boxing contest in which two bluejackets took part. The Japanese also contributed to the programme, giving exhibitions of Japanese fencing and wrestling.

At the close of the programme, following the playing of the British and Japanese national anthems, the 400 bluejackets from the Aso and Soya, with the naval men from Esquimalt, the artillerymen and engineers from Work Point and the local militiamen formed on Menzies street, and marched in a "parade of lumps," many of the sailors from the Esquimalt warships being arm in arm with the Japanese, to the corner of Government and Yates street, where the sailors boarded the special street cars awaiting there. The mixed parade was headed by the Fifth Regiment band.

As the cars took their departure the scene was one of intense enthusiasm. British and Canadian wearers of His Majesty's uniform vied with the crowd of citizens in cheering the sailors of Japan. "Rule Britannia" and "Auld Lang Syne" were roared lustily, the visitors, some of whom had learned the airs, singing the tune as loudly as their allies. The crowd passed along the filled cars shaking hands with the Japanese through the windows. Finally to the strains of the national anthem the cars pulled out en route for Esquimalt.

Today's Regatta.

The programme for the regatta commencing at 1 o'clock to be held at Esquimalt this afternoon in honor of the visiting Japanese warships is as follows:

1. Service skiff dinghies, 16 ft. and under, $6 and 4. Racing crews of R. N. and I. J. N.

2. (a) 12 and 14-oared cutters, $24 and $15. Racing crews of I. J. N. (b) 4-oared gigs, $10 and $5. Racing crews of H. M. forces and I. J. N.

3. (a) 5-oared whalers, $9, $6 and $3. Racing crews of R. N. and I. J. N. (b) Service skiff dinghies, 16 ft. and under, challenge cup. Japanese cadets.

4. (a) 10-oared cutters, $18 and $9. Racing crews of stokers R. N. and I. J. N. (b) 4-oared lapstreak, 4 prizes, value $4 each to winning boat. Amateurs.

5. (a) 6-oared gigs, $12 and $7. Racing crews I. J. N. (6) 12 and 104 oared cutters, challenge cup. Japanese cadets.

6. (a) 10-oared cutters, $20 and $12. Racing crews R. N. and I. J. N. (b) Private skiffs, 16 ft. and under, $8 and $4. Open to R. N. and I. J. N. Not more than 4, including coxswain.

7. (a) 12 and 14-oared cutters, $24 and $15. Stokers racing crews I. J. N. (b) 6-oared gigs, challenge cup. Japanese cadets.

8. (a) 5-oared whalers, $12 and $6. Petty officers R. N. and I. J. N. (b) Private skiffs, 16 ft. and under, 3 prizes, value $4, to winnning boat. Open to amateurs. Sliding seats and outriggers barred. Not more than 3, including coxswain.

9. (a) All comers, $20, $10 and $5. From H. M. forces, R. N. and I. J. N. (b) Shells, sculling, amateurs, winner to receive prize value $10. (c) Tandem Peterboro canoe, 2 prizes, value $5 each to winning boat. Amateurs. Special course.

Motor Boat Cruise.—Open to Amateurs. Handicapping and starting by the Victoria Yacht Club. Boats started in Victoria harbor, finish off naval yard, Esquimalt. Start at 1 p. m. Winning boat to receive a prize, value $10.

Fancy Costume Display.—Open to H. M. forces, R. N. and I. J. N. Any boat. Any course. Boats to be at dockyard jetty at 5.30 p. m. for judging. A maximum of 50 points for costume and 50 points for amusement provided will be awarded. Prizes $20, $10 and $5.

The officials are: Committee—Commander C. W. G. Crawford, R. N., Commander E. H. Edwards, R. N., Captain A. D. Macdonald, R. A., Lieut. C. C. Heycock, R. N., Lieut. G. C. Glen, R. N., Lieut. G. R. Bald, R. N. Referee—Commander E. H. Edwards, R. N. Starters—Lieut. C. C. Heycock, R. N., Lieut. G. C. Glen, R. N., and two Japanese officers. Judges—Lieut. C. H. H. Sams, R. N., Lieut. F. H. Brabant, R. N., Captain Basil Combe, and one Japanese officer.

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The formal offer of the city to the Esquimalt Waterworks company for the company's undertakings and franchises at Goldstream and Thetis Lake was made yesterday morning by Water Commissioner Raymur. The price offered was $900,000, that figure having been determined upon at last Monday night's council meeting. The offer as submitted was as follows:

Theodore Lubbe, Esq., Esquimalt Waterworks Company, Victoria, B. C.

Dear sir—With the approval of the council of this corporation, I beg to offer to purchase of the Esquimalt Waterworks company the whole of its undertakings, including lands, franchises, privileges, contracts and assets of every description, freed from liabilities and encumbrances, to be taken over as of the 1st day of July, 1909, for the sum of nine hundred thousand dollars ($900,000).

The undertaking of the company to be continued without interruption of any work or improvement in progress, and the assets to be upheld and maintained down to the date of delivery of possession, an account being taken as from the said 1st day of July.

This offer is based upon the presumption that the company have not yet disposed of any lands or other assets which they had purchased or agreed to purchase at the time of the hearing of the law case before Mr. Justice Duff, but have acquired and still hold certain further assets and have completed further works on their Goldstream system and extended their Esquimalt system.

This offer is subject to the assent of the electors to a bylaw embodying an agreement to sell and purchase, which agreement will be settled between the legal advisers of your company and the city on the basis of this offer.

Payment to be made to the company in cash within three months after the said bylaw has been assented to by the electors of the city. In case the bylaw is rejected, this offer to be deemed rescinded.

The time for your acceptance of this offer is limited to ten days if your directors deal with the matter without formal approval of your shareholders; to forty days if your directors seek formal authority before approving or disapproving, so that if not accepted within the times stated, the council may exercise a right of expropriation, and in this case the offer now made must be deemed to be without prejudice, and the council do not bind themselves to repeat this offer in the proceedings to determine the compensation on expropriation, and it is hoped by the liberal offer made to avoid the necessity for expropriation proceedings and consequent expense of both parties.

Awaiting your company's determination.

JAS. L. RAYMUR,
Water Commissioner.

POLITICS IN HAMIOTA

What A New Arrival In Victoria Did For His Party On the Plains

The Hamiota Echo has the following paragraph with reference to Mr. M. B. Jackson who has recently settled in the city:

We notice by the Victoria Times that our old townsman, M. B. Jackson, is into politics already in Victoria. The Times says: "Mr. Jackson has done much for the Liberal party. At the last Dominion election he was the candidate in Marquette and cut down the majority of the sitting member." The Times is a little out in the last part of its statement as the "sitting member's" (Dr. Roche) majority was exactly ten times larger last election than it was before. The Times quotes Mr. Jackson as saying he was defeated here by the revising officer. We can hardly believe Mr. Jackson ever said such a thing about a man with the reputation of Judge Cumberland who is the revising officer, especially when Mr. Jackson never made one single charge against the voters' lists when he was stumping the country during the campaign.

As Mr. Jackson has always posed as an advocate of honesty and purity we cannot but feel the Times is doing him a rank injustice in reporting him as it does.

OAK BAY BYLAWS

Will Be Submitted To Ratepayers Today—Court of Revision

The ratepayers of the municipality of Oak Bay will be called upon to vote upon two by-laws today. One is to decide whether or no they are in favor of the proposal to construct a water works system to supply the district; the other is as to whether or not they will endorse the proposal to borrow $30,000 for the purpose of installing the system mentioned. If the loan is authorized the money is to be raised upon the security of the water charges the deficiency to make up the amount of interest and sinking fund to be secured upon the credit and guarantee of the municipality at large.

Voting takes place at the new school house between the hours of 9 a. m. and 7 p. m. The court of revision for the assessment roll sits at 2 o'clock at the school house also.

A meeting of the Oak Bay council was held at the offices of the clerk yesterday, when four local improvement by-laws were advanced a stage. These provide for laying permanent sidewalks on the east sides of Foul Bay road and of York place; and upon the north sides of Saratoga and Oak Bay avenues.

Some other matters of routine business were transacted.

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The two cards are well printed and are attractive. It is proposed to offer these to the merchants and others in the city. They are asked when sending out mail to place a card or so in the same envelope. It costs no more postage and every letter which goes out, bears with it an invitation to your correspondent to visit Victoria and the island.

The cards may be obtained from Mr. McGaffey and will be furnished to all merchants or others who will use them to advantage.

Ambassador Resigns

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CROP PROSPECTS.

The spring has been cold, but the telegraphic reports from the Prairie Provinces say that the crop is being sown under favorable conditions. We have at hand the crop report of the Canadian Northern Railway company up to the 9th instant. Everywhere the weather was reported as good and great progress had been made in seeding. Reports from sixty-one places were given and not one of them was unfavorable, and very many of them were exceedingly favorable. The ground is generally reported as in excellent condition, and the weather conditions were good. There was a large increase in the area sown reported from many places, but the majority of the reports said nothing about the area that will be in crop this year. Earlier in the year the season was unquestionably backward; but the change has been decidedly for the better. There must be rather more moisture in the soil this spring than is usually the case, and if the latter part of this month is at all warm growth ought to be very rapid. It is very significant of the progress of the country that this railway has reports from so many points. Looking over the list one sees many names that are absolutely unfamiliar in connection with towns and centres of population. These sixty-one reports do not refer to land along the Canadian Pacific or most of its branches, but our information is that the prospects are quite as favorable there.

THE SONGHEES RESERVE

A person, who had never heard of the Songhees Reserve question, might, after reading the telegrams in yesterday's Colonist, come to the conclusion that the matter was something quite new, and that the Board of Trade were exceedingly unreasonable in expecting the powers that be to deal with it in the hasty manner suggested. He would never suppose that the question is forty years old, and that two generations of public men have been going to settle it "tomorrow." To his unitiated mind the insistence of the Board of Trade would be utterly indefensible and only to be paralleled by its astonishing optimism in expecting such a subject to be taken up in the last hours of a parliamentary session. The uninitiated person aforesaid would very naturally say that the undue haste exhibited disclosed a very poor appreciation of the eternal fitness of things. The uninitiated man might be a little staggered by the references to the pre-election promises of a gentleman named Templeman; but that would be because he would not know that with a certain school of politicians defeat has the effect of a political Statute of Limitations, and wipes the slate clean. He might also suppose that as the said Mr. Templeman stated to the Council of the Board of Trade, as one of the telegrams alleges, that a Bill to settle the question was probably prepared last February, there was some intention of disposing of the matter, and this might cause him to wonder why the introduction of the measure had been delayed until it was too late in the session to get it through. There are several explanations of this. One, of course, is that Mr. Templeman's statement was not in accordance with the eternal verities, and that no such Bill was prepared last February nor was its preparation contemplated. We do not advance this as an explanation, for to do so would be to suppose that a Minister of the Crown in conference with the Council of the Board of Trade on an important public question wilfully mis-stated the facts—a thing which is, or at least ought to be, out of the range of possibility. The unitiated man would therefore be driven to the conviction that there was no time in March, April or May to introduce into Parliament a measure which was not in the least contentious. He might venture, perhaps, to think that such a measure might have been brought forward in the Senate, where its purport could have been fully explained, so that its passage through the House would be purely a formal matter. Another explanation which might suggest itself is that Mr. Templeman has wilfully delayed the matter. This he has very emphatically denied. In his last telegram Mr. Templeman says he is writing a letter. It would be premature to suggest what that letter is likely to contain.

A MAD POLICY

A recent writer in a British publication assails the people of Quebec for their supposed hostility to projects, which he and his political friends choose to regard as essential to the security of the Empire. This is the policy of madness. There are in Canada a great many people who are of French extraction, and they are just as much Canadians and just as much British subjects as any others. They have played their part loyally in working out the destinies of the Dominion. They are increasing in numbers and are becoming year by year better educated and more alert to what is going on throughout the world. Present indications are that their numerical strength is not likely to be relatively as great in the future as it has been in the past; but they will always be an element of the population that will have to be reckoned with in any policy adopted by the Dominion. Their presence in the country, with their own language, certain institutions of their own and their staunch adherence to their own religion, which carries with it a degree of ecclesiastical influence with which English-speaking people are not familiar, creates a domestic problem that is not without its difficulties. The condition is not unique, for something similar to it has been experienced by other countries. It is not an insoluble problem, and if we read the signs of the times aright, it is becoming less difficult as the years go by. What has been needed is the development of mutual confidence, and confidence is a plant of slow growth as between two nationalities. Under these circumstances it is deeply to be regretted that a certain set of British writers feel called upon to say things calculated to arouse suspicion, if not actual hostility, among our French-speaking fellow Canadians. These people are practically being told by such writers that the day is not far distant when the Conservatives will be in power at Ottawa, and then they will find themselves forced to submit to a line of policy to which they are falsely represented as being opposed. There may be some great imperial service to be rendered by representing Sir Wilfrid Laurier and the people of Quebec as in point of fact not in sympathy with the Empire and as unwilling to do their share in making that great political fabric secure, but the gentlemen of the party from which these allegations emanate have not made such a conspicuous success in dealing with their own racial problems at home as makes their advice prima facie of any great value in Canada. We suggest to these academic gentlemen, who are permeated by an imperialism which they could not define, and which seems at a distance to resemble partizan politics more than anything else, that they would be wise if they would treat Canadian affairs in a different spirit. On the narrow ground of the welfare of the Conservative party in Canada, we protest against representations that there is no intention on the part of Mr. Borden and his followers to force the people of Quebec into any course, which cannot be justified to their reason. On the broader ground of the welfare of the country we protest against utterances which, if they have any effect in this country at all, will tend to broaden the line of cleavage which must necessarily exist between peoples of different origin, language and customs.

LORD MILNER'S VIEWS

Lord Milner recently addressed the Bassetlaw Conservative and Unionist Association at Worshop. In the course of his speech he touched upon tariff reform as a political issue in the United Kingdom. Viscount Milner is not one of those who profess to believe that if concessions in the way of preferential trade are not made, the Overseas Dominions will go out of the Empire. He takes the sane position that in the framing of the tariffs each country must consult its own interests first of all, but in the case of the United Kingdom he thinks that, this condition having been met, the next step ought to be to promote inter-Imperial commerce. Too many of those, who dilate on this subject, mixed these things up. They start out by misrepresenting that the Colonies demand a preference in the markets of the United Kingdom as the price of their loyalty to the Empire, and thus handicap themselves in the discussion, for the most natural answer of the average resident of the British Isles to such a claim would be that, if the Colonies will only remain in the Empire on the condition that the people of the United Kingdom shall be taxed for the benefit of their trade, the language of Tennyson would exactly meet the case.

"So loyal is too costly. Friends, your
love is but a burden.
"Loose yourselves and go."

When once the effort is made to consolidate the Empire and strengthen its growth by the adjustment of tariffs in the mutual interest of all parts of it, the start must be made by showing the people of the several parts that what is proposed is primarily good for them. In Canada the people long ago reached the conclusion that a protective tariff was in their interest. To this idea the Marquis of Lorne took such an exception, not indeed on the score of local policy but of its apparent antagonism to the colonial relation, that he asked for advice from the Colonial Office as to giving his assent to the tariff of 1889. He was told to follow the advice of his ministers. The enactment of this tariff not only enabled the people of Canada to develop their own industrial possibilities but gave them an opportunity after a time to extend a preference to the Mother Country. So we have always held that the first thing to be done in regard to tariff reform is to convince the people of the United Kingdom that they in their own interests need a departure from the free trade policy, which has been in vogue for so long a time. When this has been done, the arrangement of an inter-imperial preference will be relatively easy. To combine the two things has always seemed to us to be to court misunderstanding if not the defeat of an important principle. We quote a short extract from Lord Milner's observations:

The Colonies had not framed their tariffs in our interests and they did not expect us to frame our tariffs in their interests. The Colonies having arranged their duties in the interests of their own people, then made a reduction in favor of the Mother Country. Why should not we, when we had established our tariffs, give them a preference and thus reciprocate their feeling of brotherliness? The policy of tariff reform is not very deep, and what lay at the bottom of it was the principle of national development. Why we should attach so much importance to it was that its supporters believed it would increase the material and human resources of the British Empire.

A LITTLE ABOUT FLAGS

Every now and then one reads an account of supreme silliness exhibited on the part of some people in the United States over the display of the Union Jack. In this country we really have no very great feeling about the flying of any particular combination of bunting. If a man wants to hoist the Stars and Stripes, or the French ensign, or the sunburst of Japan, or anything else, nobody cares. That's one of the advantages of living in a free country. But one little matter has been brought to the attention of the Colonist in regard to which a little change would be advisable. It is the habit of vaudeville and sometimes of theatrical performers of waving the United States flag as though it were the national emblem of this country, or at least something so supremely great that all mankind ought to thrill at the sight of it. We are pretty good natured folk here, and there are always some people to applaud that particular piece of bunting when it is shown on the stage, which we do not suppose would be conspicuously the case if the Union Jack were shown on a stage at, say, Seattle. It has been suggested that when it comes to flag-waving in Victoria, the British flag is the proper one to use. It has also been pointed out that Mr. Taft is not "our" president, nor is Mr. Roosevelt "our" ex-president. These matters are not really of any very great importance one way or the other, perhaps, but Victoria audiences do not as a rule pay their money to witness an exhibition of United States jingoism. A word to the wise is said to be sufficient, not to say that there is any special reason for speaking that word at this particular time.

The City Council thinks it can get along without a Parks Board. We have a mild suspicion that they would have to whether they wanted to or not.

We are glad that the Mayor has taken up the question of improving the principal thoroughfares leading out of the city, and promised some redress for the abominable condition in which they are.

Our Vancouver correspondent sends us a very interesting statement in regard to fish shipped from the Pacific Coast to the Prairie Provinces. The rebate referred to ought to prove of very great value to Canadian fishermen.

The impression produced upon all who have come in contact with the officers and men of the Japanese navy, now in the city, has been in the highest degree favorable. They are much more stalwart men than most persons believed they were.

One of the most graphic bits of English that we had the pleasure of reading in a long time was in the Saturday Sunset of May 15th. The description of the fire engine en route to a fire was a word picture of unusual merit.

Look out for squalls. The Coronation Oath is likely to be changed by the omission from it of those terrific words in regard to alleged religious doctrines. There are some good people who will look upon this as the taking away of the last prop of the monarchy and confidently expect the Pope to invade England the next morning.

The Victoria Grand Jury wishes the law to be so changed that certain petty offenders can be flogged at the discretion of the committing judge. At present there is a sort of a mania for the commission of such crimes as drawing checks against banks wherein the drawer has no funds and so on. It is a nice, easy way of getting into gaol and have food and lodging for nothing. The Grand Jury thinks that fear of the cat might have a deterrent effect, and we think it would, although we do not suppose there is any immediate probability of the law so providing.

The Overseas Mail of May 1st has an anonymous letter from a town in Montana in which the statement is made of British Columbia "that good land can be better measured by axe handles than by statute miles," and the correspondent adds: "In this light the proposal of the government to endow the new University of British Columbia with 2,000,000 acres of land may prove a white elephant for the deserving institution." The Daily Mail poses as the great champion of imperialism, and yet it prints the above abominable slander about this province. It also permits its correspondent to say "the common idea that the country is one of great natural resources in mines, agriculture or timber—having regard to its size—is untrue." There is, of course, no way of getting at these malicious libellers of the country, but there ought to be some way of bringing a paper like the Daily Mail to its senses.

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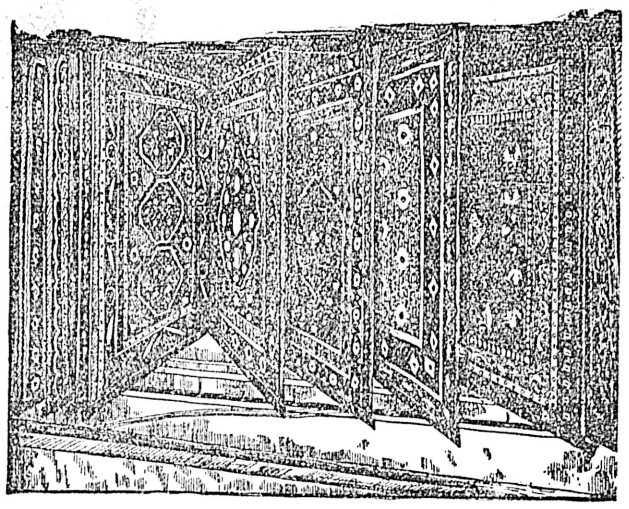

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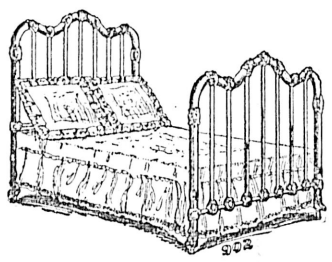

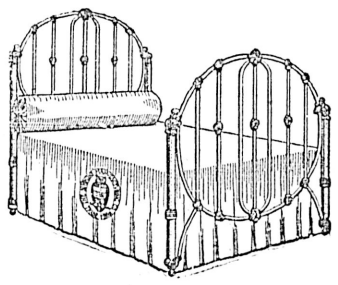

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COUNSEL CLASH OVER EVIDENCE

Introduction of Name of Rudolph Spreckels' Makes Further Trouble

San Francisco, May 14.—Within a few minutes after the resumption of the trial of Patrick Calhoun today, the opposing counsel clashed over a question put to Richard Cornelius, president and business agent of the carmen's union, relative to the substance of a conversation had by the witness with Rudolph Spreckels, prior to the carmen's strike of 1908. This was brought up during the cross-examination of Cornelius yesterday. The witness referred to a meeting with Mr. Spreckels during the stricke, but was not asked what the conversation had been.

When the re-direct examination was taken up by Mr. Heney he asked: "What was that conversation with Mr. Spreckels?" The defence interposed an objection on the ground that the conversation had not been gone into on cross-examination. Mr. Heney replied that it was the intention of the defense to argue a conspiracy to cause the strike on the part of Spreckels and others. He declared that the people proposed to refute that insinuation, and would place Mr. Spreckels on the stand. "You may question him from his birth down to the present time," he said.

"What has the Spreckels family to do with this case?" asked Alexander King of the defence. "Whenever the name is mentioned Mr. Heney goes off into a discourse and gets angry."

The court sustained the objection after a heated argument by counsel. Mr. Heney then went into the matter surrounding that strike and drew out a statement that Rudolph Spreckels, Fremont Older and Mr. Heney had not advocated the strike or discussed it with the witness. The interrogation was carried on under a constant cross-fire of objections by the defense.

Robert H. Perry, a special agent employed by Detective W. J. Burns to "shadow" Abraham Ruef in 1906, was next called to the stand. He told of the movements of the man he trailed on July 31st and August 23rd, 1906, the day on which T. L. Ford, general counsel of the company, withdrew large sums from the mint in currency, the money which the prosecution alleged was paid to the supervisors by the direction of the defendant. Perry said on August 23rd Ruef went to the railroad company's offices at the car barns, and after a short stay inside, came out and hurried to his automobile with something bundled up under his coat, and a man, who the witness learned later was Mr. Ford, came to the door of the office as Ruef drove away.

Rival Company

Chas. S. Wheeler, attorney for Rudolph Spreckels, was called to the stand by the prosecution. His testimony, like that of former Mayor Jas. D. Phelan, who spent a day and a half on the stand during the week, was directed, according to the statement of Attorney Heney, to the refutation of the "employed and insinuating" charge of the defense that Mr. Spreckels, Mr. Phelan and others had engaged in a conspiracy to oust the United railways from the streets of San Francisco with a view of obtaining the transportation franchise for themselves. Under interrogation of Mr. Heney, Mr. Wheeler told of his appearance before the street committee of the board of supervisors in 1905 in relation to the petition of the railroad company for an overhead trolley franchise on Sutter street. Mr. Wheeler's legal argument against the petition was related by Mr. Phelan, when he was on the stand, and was gone over again by Mr. Wheeler today. The witness also told of his drawing up of the incorporation articles of the municipal street railway company and of his subscription of $10,000 to that project.

The cross-examination was conducted by Earl Rogers, of counsel for Calhoun, and was construed by Mr. Heney as a challenge of the motives for the incorporation of the Municipal company. Mr. Wheeler declared that he had taken no part in any discussion of the project until "after Mr. Calhoun had intimated his intention of trolleyizing Market street," and insisted that it was only to combat that plan that the opposition company was incorporated.

"Mr. Wheeler, did the Municipal company ever lay a foot of track or a single brick of a power house?" asked Mr. Rogers.

"It did not," said the witness.

"That is all," said Mr. Rogers.

Under a running cross fire of objections and arguments the witness told the jury that the opposition had been planned solely for the purpose already stated; that it was specifically stated in the articles of incorporation that the company should get the supervisors to offer such franchises as he sought at public auction, and to have inserted in those franchises a provision that the city could buy up the road at any time it saw fit.

POST OFFICE ROBBED

Safe-Crackers Gather In Much Loot in Way of Stamps and Cash At Bremerton

Bremerton, Wash., May 14.—Expert safe-crackers drilled into the strong box in the Bremerton postoffice last night and carried away $9,000 in stamps, $187 in cash and a diamond ring valued at $250.

Charles P. Kimball, the postmaster, discovered the loss at 7 o'clock this morning. Just how the thieves gained entrance to the postoffice is not known but it is believed they secreted themselves in the place before it was locked for the night. No explosives were used in breaking into the safe, but it was drilled in several places. The strong box, weighing 125 pounds, was removed from the office and has not been found, which gives rise to the belief that at least two men were engaged in the work.

The sheriff of Kitsap county, the city marshal of Bremerton and local detectives are working on the case.

Mexican Plotters on Trial

Tombstone, Ariz., May 14.—The prosecution introduced more letters in the Magoon, Villareal and Rivera trial today. Translations revealed elaborate plans for attacks on several Mexican towns near the border to gain a foothold for the Mexican liberals and work for the overthrow of the Diaz government. Custom houses were to be seized and government buildings occupied.

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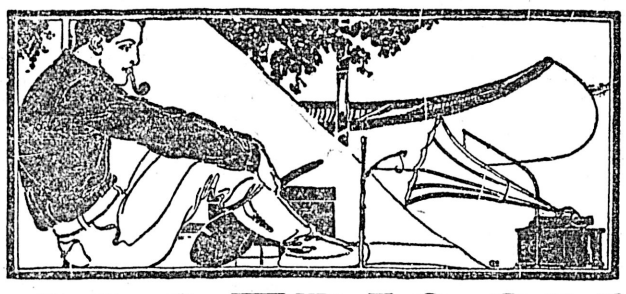

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NEWS OF THE CITY

P. N. and O. Meeting.

The annual meeting of the Pacific Northern and Omineca railway will be held at the office of Messrs. Bodwell and Lawson in this city on the 21st of next month.

Work Held Up.

The work preparatory to paving Belleville street has been delayed for the past few days and it is reported that "the necessary pipes" are not on hand. Certain it is that not a single workman has been seen on that section of the street for nearly a week.

Handsome Dwellings.

Building permits were issued yesterday to John H. Yeo for a dwelling to be erected on Green street to cost $1,800, and to R. T. Elliott, who will erect a handsome eight-roomed dwelling at the corner of Stevenson and Summit streets, to cost $5,200.

Will Discuss Proposition.

A special meeting of the city council will be held next Thursday evening, when the proposal of the B. C. Electric company concerning the Jordan river development scheme will be considered. R. H. Sperling, managing director, and A. T. Goward, local manager of the company, will be present at the meeting.

Removing Chinese Bodies.

The Chinese Consolidated Benevolent association is reported to be experiencing some difficulty in carrying out its agreement to remove the Chinese bodies from the Ross Bay cemetery. In some half dozen cases it is stated that permission cannot be obtained and the cemetery committee will apparently be unable to get the ground free of bodies as per agreement.

Robbery at Grand Pacific

A nervy thief operated at the Grand Pacific hotel yesterday morning, when entry was gained to the room occupied by Mr. and Mrs. S. Koga, while the latter was asleep in bed and the sum of $45 taken from a bureau drawer. Koga is a Japanese merchant, his place of business being located on Store street. He left his room as usual yesterday morning leaving his wife asleep. When she awoke she noticed that the money was missing, but thinking that her husband had taken it she waited until she had seen him. He, however, had not taken the cash, and a search failed to disclose it. Complaint was made to the police, but the culprit could not be located.

Island Development League

E. McGaffey, secretary of the Vancouver Island Development League will leave the end of the present month or the first week in June for a tour of the island. He will visit Courtenay, Cumberland, Alberni, Ucuelet, Clayoquot and Quatsino. The trip will probably take from ten days to two weeks. Mr. McGaffy will meet the different branches of the league, and talk over the situation with them. He will also take his camera along, and will secure photos to illustrate a number of articles upon the island. Mr. McGaffey is an ex-newspaperman, and is well known in Chicago and the middle west as well as upon the coast. An article of his upon the recent P. M. C. A. building campaign will appear in the Portland Spectator today.

Crowded Quarters.

Office accommodation at the police station these days is decidedly limited and the difficulty met with in supplying adequate quarters for the detective force has been great. There are now seven plain clothes men on the force with office accommodation for about two, while Captain Palmer has been forced to take up his quarters in the little office occupied by License Inspector Handley. This "office" is about the size of a piano box and when Captain Palmer is at his desk License Inspector Handley is practically forced to wait outside until the captain is through with his work, when the other is able to get in. The interior arrangements of the city hall building have always been more or less of a joke, but in no place is the utter lack of accommodation and convenience better demonstrated than in that portion occupied by the police force.

Cleaning Up.

Evidently there are many public-spirited concerns in the city who realize that the incoming tourist this year will be forcibly impressed with appearance. Accordingly many of the leading business blocks are being brightened with fresh coats of paint and otherwise improved in appearance. The suggestion is being made that a "clean up" day be set apart when not only in the business section but also in the residential sections a general clearing out of rubbish, etc., may be made so as to make the city spick and span when the tourist season begins. The idea has been carried out in other cities with satisfactory results. Incidentally it is also suggested that there is room for the city to enforce some of its bylaws relative to the depositing of material on the streets, the leaving of rigs standing on the streets, etc.

Mission Reception

Last evening in Barnside Baptist mission an enjoyable social gathering of friends and workers took place. There was a large number present. During the evening a guessing competition was held, the winners being Miss L. Scowcroft and R. Pomfret, while booby prizes went to Miss G. Smethurst and Gerald Foote. The following programme was rendered: Readings by Mrs. R. R. Watson and R. Sanderson; vocal solos, by Miss M. Freeman, Miss Robins, Messrs. Brounsey and R. Pomfret. At the conclusion of the above programme two presentations were made, the first being a beautiful silver fern dish and fern to Capt. and Mrs. Foote, who have been interested in the mission for many years, and are now removing to their new home in the James Bay district. The second presentation was that of a handsome hearth rug to Wm. Dinsmore, secretary of the school. The recipients made appropriate replies in acceptance. Refreshments were served by the ladies.

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THE WEATHER

Meteorological office, Victoria, B. C., at 8 p. m., May 14, 1909:

SYNOPSIS.

The barometer has fallen over the northern portion of the province and cloudy weather with showers may become general. The weather is fair and cool between the ranges and in the Prairie provinces the weather is fair and mild with local thundershowers.

TEMPERATURE.

	Min.	Max.
Victoria	40	58
Vancouver	41	55
New Westminster	44	56
Kamloops	34	66
Barkerville	22	52
Calgary, Alta.	30	56
Winnipeg, Man.	38	62
Portland, Ore.	44	56
San Francisco, Cal.	48	54

FORECASTS.

For 24 hours from 5 a. m. (Pacific Time) Saturday:

Victoria and Vicinity: Light or moderate winds, mostly southerly and westerly, chiefly cloudy with showers, not much change in temperature.

Lower Mainland: Light or moderate winds, mostly cloudy with showers, not much change in temperature.

FRIDAY.

Highest	58
Lowest	40
Mean	49

Rain, trace; sunshine, 2 hours, 6 minutes.

Dinner at Empress

A. H. Barker, who is going north with a survey party, gave an enjoyable dinner to a number of his friends at the Empress hotel last night. Those who were present were: W. H. Cartwright, C. C. Heycock, T. C. Monerieff, E. B. McKay, N. O. Cuppage, Stewart Williams, Frank M. Whitlow, F. C. Boulton, G. V. Cuppage and A. H. Barker as host. The menu of which the company partook follows: Crabmeat cocktail; consomme princess; flounder au vin blanc; canard roti pommes de terres nouvelles; petits pois; bomb a l' Empress; friandisses; and cafe.

Wanted For Larceny

Wanted in Port Towsend for larceny committed three months ago George Hobson, alias Coleman, and a young 19-year-old girl named Ray Gordon, were arrested here on Thursday night, and yesterday were taken back to the scene of their crime. The pair made their way to Seattle, and the girl came across to Victoria four weeks ago, becoming an inmate of a resort on Chatham street, where she was arrested. The man was taken in a boarding house on Johnson street. Both the man and the woman have already done time in Port Townsend, and it was but a week or two after their release from jail that they turned another trick and got away.

HALF PRICE SALE

A busy place these last few days is the piano salesroom of Waitt's Music Store, 1004 Government street. Owing to the early and unexpected arrival of several cars of pianos, their warerooms must be cleared at once to make room. Pianos that were $650 to $375 are marked down to $375 and $190. As may be expected these bargains are being quickly snapped up by wise and careful buyers.

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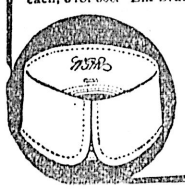

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There are 100 fruit trees of the choicest varieties, four years old; 100 raspberry and 40 rhubarb plants; enough has been done to make a nice start and show the capabilities of the place, which, with a little work can be made into a beautiful and profitable ranch. The stock includes horse, 2 cows and 2 calves, buggy, harness, implements, including a spraying outfit, and all dairy necessities. Also there is on the ground one hundred dollars worth of lumber and shingles, sufficient to make a considerable addition to the house.

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Provision Made To Guard the Province's Wealth of Timber—To Post Regulations

The fire wardens appointed by the provincial government entered upon their duties for the season.

The Chief Commissioner of Lands has found it necessary on account of the extreme dryness of the season to put the men on earlier this year than in former seasons and so from now until the fall rains commence the large staff of wardens will keep careful watch over their districts. The organization this year is better than ever before and with the experience gained during the past seasons the work done should be highly efficient. A large force of assistant wardens will be appointed later.

Each warden is furnished with a map of his territory, a diary for entry of the day's work and in which anything of interest is to be noted. Different printed forms of posters have also been furnished the men in each district which are to be posted up for the information and warning of the public at large. Included in them is a special form directed to campers and giving the regulations governing the operation of donkey engines for logging purposes. Forms are included in the equipment for making weekly returns of details of the number of fires, their causes and the loss of timber entailed. The blank forms of permits which the act requires all persons using fire to destroy brush and timber in land clearing operations during the months of May and October to take out under the amendment to the Bush Fire Act, passed last year, are included with a badge to be worn by the officer.

Protecting Island Timber

Vancouver Island is well cared for in the appointments made. The E. & N. has already three rangers upon the ground and a number of the posters described have been supplied to them in common with the provincial wardens. The Chief Commissioner has appointed four wardens for different island districts. James B. Wood is in charge of the Alberni-Barkley district; E. P. Wiggs is appointed for the Renfrew district; H. H. Beadnell for Cowichan district, and J. W. Grieve for Comox district.

The other wardens appointed are as follows:—C. W. Gilmore for Atlin district; R. O. Jennings for Skeena district; J. Seabach and J. F. Brady for Cariboo district; J. Latremouville and J. F. Wells for Kamloops district; J. K. McLean for Revelstoke district; J. H. Taynton for north-east Kootenay; W. B. Strathearn for Kaslo district; Fred. Mummery for Trout Lake district; R. J. Long and Harry Anderson for Ymir district; James M. Farrell for Slocan district; Chas. A. Mix for Grand Forks district; W. T. Atherton for Similkameen district; and the following for the coast district, which includes the territory from Point Robert near the Boundary line to Bella Coola:—Allen McLean, J. S. McKinney, F. D. Markland, J. Drainey, R. M. Pallatt, W. H. Smith, and Arthur T. Kennedy. Mr. W. C. Gladwin is chief warden for the coast district.

Notice to Campers

Many of the serious fires in the past have arisen through the carelessness of campers and the fire wardens this year will keep a strict scrutiny of this danger during the approaching season.

The notice to campers reads as follows: "Any person lighting or using camp fires during the months of May, June, July, August or September in each year, in or near any forest or woods, being the property of any other person or the property of the Crown, or upon his own land, is requested to exercise care in the selection of a site for the same so that no timber in the vicinity thereof is endangered thereby, and that all such fires are thoroughly extinguished before they are left.

"And whosoever unlawfully neglects or refuses to comply with these requirements will be liable to the penalties imposed by the Bush Fire Act, in addition to such penalties, the offender shall be liable to a civil action for damages."

The requirements with regard to the operation of donkey engines for land clearing purposes are contained in a separate notice. All brush or inflammable material must be removed for a space of 50 feet on all sides of the engine. 400 gallons of water with 12 galvanized iron buckets must be kept at hand at all times during the dry season and for fire protection purposes only, there must be kept available at all times six shovels and three mattocks. A hand pump must be provided and a watchman must be on hand while the engine is operating. There are other requirements as to spark arresters at the top of the smoke stack of the engine.

The third poster contains an extract from the Bush Fire Act naming its provisions and quotes the penalty provided. The maximum of the latter is fixed at $250 and one-half the fine imposed is to be paid to the informant.

ISLAND FRUIT GROWING

English Newspaper Predicts Great Future For Industry

The North Devon Herald has the following with regard to fruit growing in B. C. and in Vancouver Island especially:—

"Fruit growing in British Columbia is destined to take a high place among the industries of that province on the Pacific. To the Englishman, fruit growing possesses great attractions; the character of the settlement which the industry ensures and the social conditions which accompany it are what he seeks and prizes. The history of the great fruit growing enterprise in California which had been largely developed by British settlement and British capital is a proof of this fact. The greater proportion of the land in British Columbia suitable for fruit growing is covered with forests and the process of clearing is tedious and expensive. It involves the loss of much valuable time before the settler can create a property returning the income he desires. The Canadian Pacific Railway, with characteristic foresight and enterprise, has anticipated these difficulties and in Vancouver Island has selected and set aside 100,000 acres from its land grant specifically for fruit growing settlements.

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TAYLOR NOT GUILTY OF INFANTICIDE

Jury Acquit Accused After Half An Hour's Deliberation

Alfred Taylor, the Colwood rancher, was acquitted yesterday by the jury of the charge of having killed a newborn illegitimate child. The evidence introduced yesterday for the most part consisted of medical evidence, the defense putting forward Drs. Frank Hall and Stanier to prove that the symptoms described by Mrs. Taylor pointed to a miscarriage than to a normal confinement. Drs. Fraser and Robertson, on the other hand, said they had seen such symptoms on the birth of a child.

Mr. Justice Morrison summed up at some length, and towards the end of his charge told the jury that one of the things they should consider was whether or no, taking all the circumstances of the alleged confinement into account, Mrs. Taylor was not in such a physical and mental condition as to be unable to really know exactly what was going on. The only evidence that the child had ever lived was the fact that she said she heard it cry directly it was born. It was for the jury to judge whether or not under all the circumstances Mrs. Taylor might have deceived herself on this important point.

The jury were out about half an hour before returning with a verdict of not guilty and then addressing the accused his lordship said in part:

"I have of course no further control over you, but I do suggest that you should not approach, molest or intimidate Mrs. Taylor in any way after your release. You owe that in decency to the public."

Taylor was then released.

Subsequently the court was adjourned until June 1, when McNown will be brought up for sentence on the charge of obtaining money by false pretences. Judge Morrison said that the prisoner had promised to make good the money taken in the meantime. If he did this, it would have weight with him in fixing the sentence.

MANY YEARS IN CITY'S SERVICE

Gaoler Sheppard Yesterday Celebrated His 74th Birthday—35 Years On Force

Active and alert, despite the more than three score and ten years which have passed over his head, Henry Sheppard, gaoler at the police station, yesterday celebrated his seventy-fourth birthday, completing nearly thirty-five years of service on the local force. He was the recipient of hearty congratulations from his fellow members on the force to whom he is affectionally known as "Dad."

Forty-seven years ago, or to be precise, in June, 1862, Mr. Sheppard arrived in Victoria on the Alice Thorndyke after a quick passage from New Zealand. The tales of the rich gold finds in the Cariboo district proved the lure which called him and scores of other Antipodeans to this country. Victoria then was crowded with miners all anxious to set off for the north, and the time was one of excitement. Victoria was a mere straggling village with but a few scattered buildings surrounded by scrub and bush to within a stone's throw of Government street. Shortly after his arrival Mr. Sheppart set out for the Cariboo, where he remained until the summer of '64, when he returned to Victoria, and for eighteen months was a member of the local police force under Sergeant McBride, father of Premier McBride. By the decease of the late Mr. McBride a few days ago Mr. Sheppard is the last living member of the police force of that time.

Late in 1865 Mr. Sheppard again went to the Cariboo district, where he remained until 1875, when he returned to Victoria and made a six months' trip to his home in New Zealand. On his return to this city he joined the police force again, and has been a member of it ever since. Eighteen months ago Mr. Sheppard was stricken with a serious illness, which forced him to give up his police duties until a short time ago, but he once more went back at the desk in the police station, fully recovered and ever ready to tell of the stirring days in the early history of the city when the gold fever prevailed.

DAIRY INDUSTRY IN GOOD SHAPE

The B. C. Cow Produces Thousand Lbs. More Milk Than Any In Dominion

Dairy conditions throughout the province are in a most satisfactory condition.

The department of agriculture has been paying especial attention to this branch of the service, and with the more rigid inspection placed in force, conditions are steadily continuing to improve. The average dairy cow in British Columbia produces about 1,000 pounds more milk than the cow of any other part of the Dominion.

In answer to the mild criticisms which recently were made at a meeting of the Vancouver Board of Trade of the government for not giving more encouragement to this branch of industry, Hon. Captain Tatlow, the minister of finance, who incorporates with that office the portfolio of agriculture, has obtained the following memorandum from W. H. Hodgson, the live stock commissioner:

Memorandum

"Our dairy inspectors report that dairy conditions throughout the province are now better, the cattle in higher condition, and the premises more sanitary than they have ever found them before, since the inspection work has been established. Dr. Knight reports that this state of affairs is especially true on the island. The dairymen seem to be taking a pride in their stock and premises, with the result before stated.

"I am pleased to be able to inform you that (from testing association reports) the average dairy cow in this province is producing about 1,000 pounds more milk than is the average cow in the eastern provinces, also in proportion to the number of herds in the province, the British Columbia farmers are realising a greater profit from the industry.

"British Columbia butter brings a higher yearly average price than butter in any other province or state in America. The Dairymen's Association is very active, and doing good work. Since the beginning of the year, the association has held eight meetings in various parts of the province. At the last meeting, a tuberculous cow was slaughtered and a post mortem examination held. The cow proved to be very badly affected. After the meeting, four parties made application to have their herds tested.

Encouraging Progress

"Since the government are testing cattle for tuberculosis, free of charge to the dairymen, I have applications in the office for testing over 1,100 cattle. This, to me is very encouraging, as the rules have only been in force for a couple of weeks. We have already tested 15 herds, in some of which no disease was found; in others we found reactors, and in every case where an animal was found to be affected, she was destroyed, the farmer realizing that such action was the only course to follow if he wished to save the herd.

"We have in this province some very valuable herds, studs and flocks, valuable from the show standard and also from the utility standpoint. The breeders have demonstrated at some of the larger shows, that our animals are without peers in Canada. This last statement is especially true of the heavy horses. As demonstrated at the horse show in Vancouver, some of our light horses have no equal in Canada, or on the American coast."

The statement appearing in a local paper some days ago to the effect that the government inspector when he finds it tuberculosis, orders it killed, is incorrect. The owner has the choice of slaughtering the cow, or placing it in quarantine at his own expense. They generally choose the former alternative.

SUSPENSE WAS KILLING

Weak Heart and Deferred Sentence Threatens Prisoner's Life

E. N. Clarke, charged with uttering a forged check, grew restive yesterday at another remand, and wanted to know why he could not be sentenced at once.

"I have admitted that I passed the check. I have a weak heart, and this suspense is killing me," said he.

Asked whether he also admitted that he knew the check to be forged when he passed it, he said he did not, whereat the magistrate said that the plea of not guilty must stand. The adjournment was caused by the absence of a teller in the bank of Commerce. It seems that he left for Seattle to play golf before the summons reached him. The case will come on again on Tuesday.

An Indian was fined $25 for having whiskey in his possession, and the Chinese lottery cases were set over for another week pending the appeal in the higher court.

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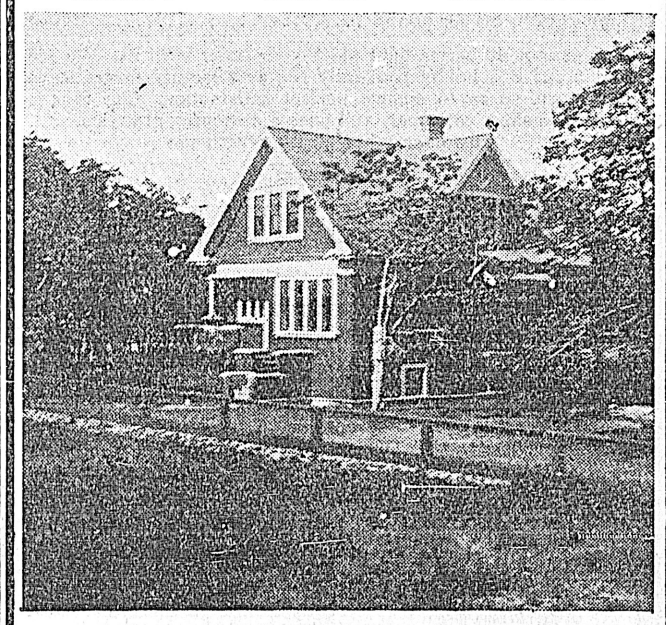

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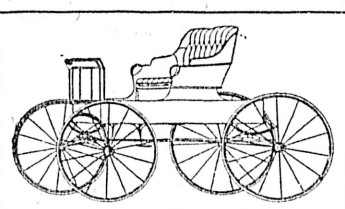

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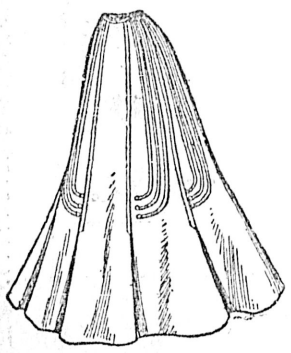

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Home Making

There has recently been so much said about the monotony of a housewife's life that it is a relief to hear testimony from an excellent source in the opposite direction. The Atlantic Monthly is one of the best of the American magazines. A contributor to its columns defends the occupation of housekeeping. The writer is a college graduate who spent five years in a business office. Then she became a housekeeper and her article is the outcome of her experience. She considers that so far from being monotonous the art of homemaking calls for all the skill and ability of which the brightest woman is mistress.

Work which any one is obliged to do but is not fitted for is drudgery and this is quite as true of adding up columns of figures or operating a typewriter as of scrubbing a floor or of washing dishes. This article is an argument in favor of preparation for the art of home-making. If it is felt that one knows how to perform every operation needed to keep a house in order, then there are few occupations more full of variety and pleasure. The need of a careful and thorough training in housewifely arts is insisted upon as a preparation for marriage. This, young girls of a former generation received in their homes. In these days conditions are different but even more than their mothers, the girls of today need to acquire the art of home-making. This is felt by the writer, who says:

"It seems to me only reasonable that a young woman should not marry unless she is both able and willing to keep house, even as she studies typewriting and shorthand before taking a position as stenographer. There are schools of domestic science reasonable in price, if one cannot learn at home. Why should not the question of the young woman's father, 'Can you support my daughter in the style to which she is accustomed?' be supplemented by one from the young man's mother: 'Can you so administer my son's salary that he will have as comfortable a home with you as with me?'"

The day is coming when a girl's education will not be considered complete unless she has graduated in household science as she now does in language or mathematics. When the more highly educated a woman is, the better she will understand the art of housekeeping, the difficulty of obtaining efficient help will vanish. There will still be need for that genius for home-making which now makes so many homes places of delight. Like other natural gifts this cannot be acquired and is invaluable. But education and training in every other sphere can give efficiency. Why not in housekeeping? Yet after all, the home, where practicable, is the very best school for learning home-making. There, practice and precept go together and many things are learned almost unconsciously. The little girl whose mother is her teacher has many advantages. Like the boy brought up on a farm, there are many things which seem as we say "to come natural to her" that others must learn with difficulty. The very best results are attained where the home and school co-operate. To a woman so taught, housekeeping instead of being monotonous drudgery is a varied and pleasant, if sometimes difficult occupation.

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Microbes

Simple people sometimes wonder how it has happened that there are any old people in the world or that the human race has survived during the years that men were ignorant of the dangers that lurk in the unseen world around us. On this subject the New York World says:

The fear of the Psalmist regarding the pestilence that walketh in darkness and the destruction that wasteth at noonday were merely a mild form of vague apprehension by comparison with the vivid alarm now excited by bacilli and bacteria. These microscopic foes of man have taken the places of the giants and the hobgoblins of former days. In the new folklore of fear it is the invisible dwarfs of disease that wage eternal warfare on man. They are the terror by night and the arrow that flieth by day.

Aseptic boxes for handkerchiefs, aseptic bags for bread—what next in the evolution of the microbe mania? The wonder grows how the race has been kept from extinction exposed as our grandfathers were to the unchecked ravages of these subtle enemies.

"Where ignorance is bliss, twere folly to be wise," has been said. May it not be that many who have that little knowledge which is a dangerous thing spend their lives in trying to avoid fancied dangers. The housewife who wears out her strength in trying to maintain a spotless cleanliness may incur a greater danger than that she is trying to avoid.

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Gardening

An Ontario doctor advocates, in connection with every consumptive sanitarium, a garden which all the patients, who are strong enough to work, might cultivate. He thinks the occupation would conduce to health both of body and mind. Whether patients who are suffering from this wasting disease can spare the energy needed even for such light and pleasant exercise may be open to question. But there is no doubt that many men and women would be stronger and happier if more of them engaged in the work of gardening. It gives a variety to life which all but the poorest can enjoy. There are, even in Victoria, far too many uncultivated plots of ground. Work in the open air benefits most people. There is a very innocent pleasure in watching the growth of plants. The flower garden is a constant delight and the vegetable or fruit garden a source of profit not to be despised. For those who spend the hours of business indoors the garden affords a delightful change of occupation. In England many women are adopting gardening as a profession and there is much that even a busy housewife can do to make her home more beautiful.

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Readiness

Many voices are declaring that both men and women should be prepared to play their part well if necessity for war should arise in the future. That a man's part is to be ready to defend his country and his home is a duty the mothers of Canada must be prepared to teach if the country is to become a nation. This does not make it the less true that war is very terrible and that violence is to be avoided by all honorable means. There is abundant evidence that it is not the soldier, not the man who realizes the consequences of unfriendly words and and acts who rushes into danger. It is rather the ignorant and the irresponsible who say and do things which drawn down upon a people the evils of which they themselves know nothing until it is too late.

It is for this reason that our boys should receive military training and our young men be encouraged to join volunteer corps. That all this will call for sacrifice is very true. May it not be though that it will give to the youth of our nation a strength, a vigor and seriousness, the want of which is but too apparent in a pleasure-loving age.

Hospital Saturday

Saturday next, May 22nd, will be Hospital Saturday, and the faithful band of workers who inaugurated this movement last year, have again met and completed arrangements for this year's campaign. The proceeds of the street collection will be again devoted to this fund for maternity ward at the Royal Jubilee hospital. This fund now approximates $10,000, but another $5,000 or so will be necessary to complete such a building adequately. Enough has been urged as to the need of this particular feature in our hospital accommodation. Year after year the women and girls banded together in the Hospital Aid Societies have pleaded for help in the name of that dear and great queen, who will ever be regarded as the mother of Greater Britain, and to whose lasting motherhood this ward is to be dedicated, and for the comforts and relief of the mothers in our so fast developing country. It is not possible that our leading citizens or the public generally, do not realise the necessity and the humanity of providing such a ward! Once again the matter will be brought to their particular notice, and if the nobler dream of some of the more sanguine among the workers really comes true, and the fund is completed on this 22nd, there will be another "acomplished task" for which to "render humble and hearty thanks" on the Sunday dedicated to Queen Victoria! The committee in charge of the various stands is as follows:

Mrs. C. W. Rhodes, Mrs. R. S. Day, Mrs. R. Janion, Mrs. H. Fleming, Mrs. Shallcross, Mrs. A. F. Griffiths, Mrs. Rissmuller, Mrs. Beresford Hogg, Mrs. F. W. Jones, Mrs. Thomas Watson, Mrs. Walker, Mrs. Lowe, Mrs. E. S. Hasell, Miss Beanlands, and these ladies ask for more volunteers so that turns may be taken and relief given in the long day's service. If some younger girls or children will volunteer it will be of great help, and all stands will be efficiently chaperoned. A committee meeting for final arrangements is called for Wednesday morning, the 19th inst., at the Alexandra Club, where any such volunteers will be gladly welcomed.

Children's Aid

The annual meeting of the Children's Aid Society will be held on Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the city hall. All interested are invited to attend.

Woman's Auxiliary to Missions

On Tuesday and Wednesday, May 18th and 19th, the annual meeting of the W. A. will be held in Christ church cathedral schoolroom. The following is the programme:

Tuesday, May 18th—Christ church cathedral, 10.30 a. m.—Holy communion and sermon by Rev. W. Barton, M. A., rector of Chemainus. Christ church schoolroom. Afternoon session. 2 p. m.—Hymn No. 2, prayers, roll call, minutes of last annual meeting, president's address, reports of diocesan officers, paper by Mrs. McGill, "How to meet the difficulties of branch work." Speaker, Mrs. Murray Thain. 4.30 to 6.30—Reception at Bishopsclose to members of the W. A.

Wednesday, May 19th, Christ church schoolroom. Morning session. 10.30 a. m.—Hymn No. 6, prayers, unfinished business, reports of secretaries of branches, paper by Mrs. Toller on "Service." 12 noon—Missionary intercession. Afternoon session. 2 p. m.—Hymn No. 10, prayers, unfinished business, special business, election of officers, paper by Miss A. Turner on "The Joy of Giving." Hymn No. 4. Concluding address by the bishop. 4.30 p. m.—Tea.

Wednesday evening, May 19th. Missionary meeting. St. John's schoolroom. 8 p. m.—Address by Rev. J. Antle, Columbia Coast Mission.

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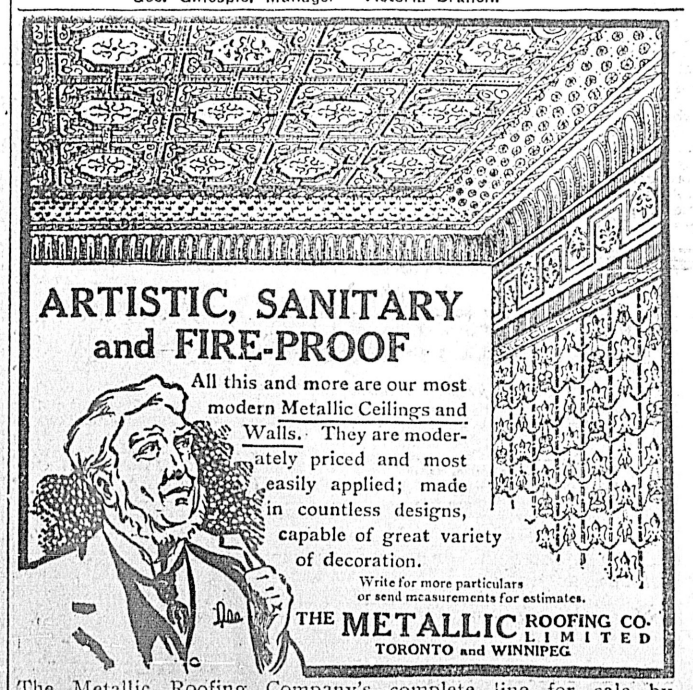

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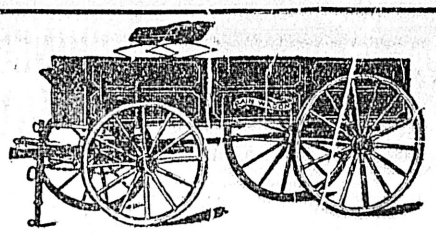

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VICTORIA NINE ANXIOUS TO WIN

Record Breaking Crowd Expected To Attend Opening Game Of Baseball

CITY'S MAYOR WILL TAKE PART

Seattle Team Bad Hombres But Klopf Says Kolts Can Take Them Into Camp

Manager "Watt" Wattelett, he of the undying streak of enterprise and the ever-flawless line of argument, has set his mind upon entertaining fully 2,500 ferocious fans at the diamond engagement between the Victoria Kolts and the Seattle Bonnie Braes at the Royal Athletic Park this afternoon, which opens the baseball season in Victoria, so it is up to you lovers of the near National game to see that he fills the bill.

The time is three o'clock, the place is the brand new stamping grounds of the local champions and the object is to win an inter-city reputation for the boys in pantalets who will win the game or perish in the effort. All you have to do is to be there.

A visit of the official clocker to the residence of Mayor Hall this morning found His Worship hard at work in an effort to decipher the mysteries of a complex curve which closely resembled the difference between the square of the hypotenuse and a straight line, and when the Chief Executive steps to the plate to deliver the first ball the pitching talent will have to crawl under the bench. The Mayor has cultivated a repertoire of benders that make Christy Matthewson's finest product resemble a collection of ping-pong pokes.

Professor Klopf, the chaperon of the local aggregation, has been working overtime in the instruction of the diamond warriors who are to bring him name and fame as the undefeated champions of Victoria, and he reported this morning that if his players were forced to wait longer last night to satisfy their revenge they would murder someone because they are just at the point of perfection, where they can scarcely be restrained. A razor edge was put on them with the final rehearsal last night and Klopf guarantees them against defeat at the hands of any nine that may wish to match prowess with them.

As for the Bonnie Braes, it is not necessary to go to much length in their praise, as they have established a reputation on the field of battle which resounds from Seattle to Saskatchewan and from the Sound to Sutter street. They have played eighteen games this season and lost but seven of them. They are rated as one of the fastest amateur nines in the city across the creek and are furthermore determined to hand the Klopf Kolts a surprise package that will hold them for the remainder of the season. The process of serving this delicate dish should be intensely interesting to all lovers of the sport in Victoria, and there should be a good contingent of fans on the job to see that the visitors are properly instructed as to the way they should conduct themselves when they are in the presence of a team of their own class.

Manager Wattelett announced last night that there will be no trouble in the accommodation of the crowd, as the bleachers and grand-stand have been thoroughly overhauled for the reception of at least 2,500 spectators and everyone will be assured of comfortable vantage points from which to view the diamond activities.

Following are the lineups of the teams which will meet:

Victoria.	Position.	Seattle.
Robertson.	c.	Luddington
McConnell	s. s.	Walker
Davis	1 b.	Pierce
Plummer	2 b.	Keppler
Klopf	3 b.	Graff
Burns	c. f.	Scanlon
Wattelett	l. f.	Huntoseh
Northcott	r. f.	Justice
Surplice	p.	Barnes
Peden	p.	Clark
Thierault	p	

Umpire—Smith.

The Brown College track team, as well as the baseball team, may go to the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Exposition in Seattle this summer.

Tom Rodrock, who trained Sal Volatile and other horses for J. W. Colt, has a public stable at Pimlico. Rodrock will take his string to Toronto.

REGINA PLAYERS DOWN TO FORM

Challengers Declare They Are Fully Prepared to Capture Famous Trophy

Regina, May 14.—The Regina lacrosse team, challengers for the Minto cup, emblematic of the lacrosse championship of the world, are putting the finishing touches on their training preparatory to leaving for New Westminster on Sunday morning next. There will be fifteen players in the party, but the officials will not announce the lineup for the first match until the morning of the game. Traynor, a former Vancouver player, will go along with the team, and may play. Every man has been practicing hard this week, and the players will leave here in the pink of condition.

The following players will go west: Stevenson, Regina; Munro, Regina; Gorman, Ottawa; Shea, Ottawa; Murton, Tecumsehs; Ross, Regina; Warwick, Torontos; Traynor, Regina; Clarke, Tecumsehs; McGregor, Regina; McDougall, Regina; Lalonde, Cornwall; McLean, Regina; Davidson, Moose Jaw.

Regina has named Joe Lally, of Cornwall, for referee, and will not agree to the three men named by the Westminster bunch. The Capitals are having two fast workouts each day, and will be in the pink of condition for their games with the cup-holders. They have every confidence of bringing back the silverware to Regina.

The party, which will consist of the players, the executive and several prominent business men and supporters of the team, will travel in a private car attached to train 97.

New Year's American Bowling Congress will be held at Detroit, the National Association tourney will occur at Buffalo and the Canadian championship will be run off in Toronto.

MIDDLEWEIGHTS READY FOR FRAY

Papke and Kelley Battle In San Francisco Today For Next Chance At Ketchel

San Francisco, May 14.— When Billy Papke, ex-middleweight champion, and Hugo Kelly meet in Croffoth's arena this afternoon they will not only be striving for individual superiority and a big purse, but each will be endeavoring to wipe out an old grudge against his opponent that can only be satisfied by a complete knockout.

These two husky middleweights are matched to battle 45 rounds. Each of the contestants is in good condition however that they and their trainers are predicting that the bout will not go over 20 rounds at the most. That of course means that the finish will be by the knockout route. Both have finished their training and are the middleweight limit and appear strong and fast.

The Kelly-Papke feud is an old one, and Young Ketchel is mixed up in it in a way that increases the hard feelings. Papke and Kelly had two bouts in the East, one a draw and the other a decision in Papke's favor. They were ten-round affairs and while Kelly claimed that the circumstances of the second meeting did not warrant the giving the credit to Papke, the latter figured in the record as the winner and that's what counts. Losers may go on explaining things year in and year out, but little notice is taken of them.

How the Feud Began

The Papke-Kelly vendetta was lost sight of temporarily when Young Ketchel came into Papke's life. Ketchel gained a decision over Papke at Milwaukee and the bout was of such a character that it meant a return meeting. The second event took place at Los Angeles and the sporting world experienced quite a shock when it was learned that Papke had battered Ketchel round after round and finally knocked him out.

Papke was a big man when he visited San Francisco soon afterward. He was at the ringside of the second Joe Gans-Battling Nelson fight and you could hear fight fans on every side whispering "That's him with the green hat."

It looked about that time as if anything further Papke might do would be largely in the way of repetition, but the prize ring always did spring surprises. Ketchel faced Papke a third time in San Francisco and defeated him so decisively that people were at a loss to explain the Los Angeles happening. Instead of being looked upon as a sterling performer, Papke came to be regarded as an accident.

Then Hugo Kelly took up the running again. In a twenty-five round bout with Papke at Los Angeles Hugo did the better work, in the opinion of many, but big Jim Jeffries, who always was sensitive about hurting a man's feelings in cases of that kind, proclaimed the bout a draw. Kelly was chagrined and Papke went a rung or two lower still in public opinion.

Then Papke put on his thinking cap. He decided that he was track sore, as the racing men say, or that too many trainings had sapped his dash. He refused matches and spent a good many months in retirement, some of the time being put in at the springs.

Papke Feeling Fine

Billy claims now that he is made over, so to speak. By resting he allowed the flesh to accumulate and the vitality to come back. He has trained cautiously this time and has reduced gradually so as to preserve his vim. He wants to defeat Kelly and qualify for yet another match with Ketchel and, above all, wants to show the San Francisco fight followers that he is as able a ring man as they imagined he was when they read of the way he hammered Ketchel at Los Angeles.

The recital of Papke's woes has, in a way, explained the motives that possess Kelly. Hugo has always been knocking at the gate of the middleweight championship and the luck of the game has played him a few mean tricks.

It is claimed that he gave nimble Jack O'Brien, of Philadelphia, a thorough trouncing once in Kansas City and received no better than a share of a draw decision for his pains. Then again, Hugo insists that he fought Papke ten rounds with a crippled arm and held the thunderbolt even at that, but was made the victim of an unfair award.

The last and worst straw in the Papke connection was when Jeffries, in his big heartedness, called the Los Angeles twenty-five rounds a dead heat and consequently gave Papke something that wasn't coming to him.

It all makes for bitter feelings and hard fighting and with forty-five rounds to work upon, there is every reason for believing that the tilt on the afternoon of May 15th will be the last of the Kelly-Papke reunions.

ATHLETIC EVENTS FOR TODAY

Baseball, Royal Athletic Park, 3.00 p.m., Victoria vs. Seattle.
J. B. A. A. Regatta at Victoria Harbor.
Naval Regatta at Esquimalt Harbor.
Y. M. C. A. Track Meet at Oak Bay.
Cricket at Esquimalt, Garrison vs. Navy.

BASEBALL

Northwest League.

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Seattle	19	7	.731
Spokane	16	11	.593
Vancouver	12	12	.500
Portland	10	15	.400
Tacoma	10	16	.385
Aberdeen	9	15	.375

Pacific Coast League.

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
San Francisco	26	17	.605
Portland	23	16	.590
Los Angeles	24	20	.545
Vernon	19	22	.463
Sacramento	19	24	.442
Oakland	15	28	.349

Northwest League.

At Spokane—Seattle, 2-5-0; Spokane, 3-9-2.
At Aberdeen—Vancouver, 0-4-0; Aberdeen, 1-4-2.
At Portland—Tacoma, 1-2-0; Portland, 7-10-2.

National League.

At New York—Chicago, 6-7-0; New York, 0-4-3.
At Brooklyn—Brooklyn, 10-10-1; St. Louis, 4-6-1.
At Philadelphia—Philadelphia, 2-4-0; Pittsburg, 0-4-1.

American League.

At Cleveland—Cleveland-New York game postponed, rain.
At Chicago — Chicago-Philadelphia game postponed, wet grounds.
At St. Louis—Washington, 4-10-2; St. Louis, 5-6-0.

Pacific Coast League.

At San Francisco—Oakland 2, San Francisco 1.
At San Francisco—Oakland, 2-8-0; San Francisco, 1-5-1.
At Los Angeles—Portland, 1-3-1; Vernon, 2-7-2.
At Sacramento—Los Angeles, 0-6-3; Sacramento, 4-1-1.

Eastern League.

At Montreal—Providence, 0-5-1; Montreal, 1-3-0.
No other games scheduled.

Grove Hall Park, Poplar, London, will be opened this month.

Corporation of the District of Oak Bay

COURT OF REVISION.

The Court of Revision will sit in the Council Chamber, Oak Bay avenue, on Saturday, 15th May, 1909, at 2 p. m., for the purpose of hearing complaints against the assessments as made by the assessor and for revising and correcting the assessment roll.

Notice of any complaint, stating the ground of complaint, must be given in writing to the assessor at least ten days before the date of the annual sitting of the court.

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Eastern Lumberman Coming

Salt Lake, May 14.—Officers, directors and stockholders of the Michigan Lumber company, 18 in number, were in Salt Lake today and left on their car tonight for Los Angeles. The company owns 31,000 acres of timber land on Vancouver Island and this property will be visited.

PRINCE RUPERT LOTS IN DEMAND

Vancouver Filling Up With People Who Wish To Invest Their Money

Vancouver, May 14.—The auction sale of Prince Rupert townsite property, which will take place in Vancouver from May 25th to 29th, is attracting people from all parts of the Pacific coast, from Alaska to Mexico, and from the middle west and east. Judging by the numbers of strangers who are continually thronging the office of C. D. Rand, agent for the government and the Grand Trunk Pacific railway in the sale, there must already be hundreds of outsiders in Vancouver who intend to invest during the sale. Several hundred more are at Prince Rupert looking over the ground, and within the next ten days Vancouver hotels will be full of people who intend to be among the first holders of Prince Rupert lots.

"If the sale were delayed another month all the hotels in Vancouver would not accommodate the crowd which is coming from all parts of the country to take advantage of this opportunity for gilt-edge investment," today declared Mr. Rand in an aside, as he emerged for a moment from the scrimmage of men seeking information about Prince Rupert at his office.

"It is that way all day long nowadays," continued Mr. Rand, with a wave of his hand at the crowd. "They even arrive here before the office is open for business in the morning. Thousands of inquiries are being received from all sections of the country, and I very much doubt that the sale will last through till Saturday, May 29th. That is, I would not be surprised to see all the lots offered sold out before that day."

WHITE PLAGUE

Dr. Osler Thinks Battle Against It Is One Of Hope, With Victory In Sight

Washington, May 14.—Speaker Cannon is not afraid of Dr. Osler and his old age theory. He told Dr. Osler so today during an address before the national association for the study and prevention of tuberculosis.

"Dr. Osler, I have reached the age of 61 and I shake my fist in your face," he said.

Dr. Osler laughed heartily at this defiance.

Dr. Osler in his address said tuberculosis no longer was a problem of the doctors, and that it would probably take two or three generations to reduce its ravages to the present rate of typhoid. Dr. Osler in a happy speech congratulated the association on its good work.

Three things remained to be done, said Dr. Osler. The first was to keep the public awake, the second to arouse the interest of more men and women because the campaign was no longer one for doctors entirely.

"Whether tuberculosis will be finally eradicated is ever an open question, but when we think of what has been done in one generation, how the mortality in many places is 100 per cent less, it is a battle of hope with victory in sight."

CHURCH UNION

Subject Considered At Episcopal Congress In Boston—Tentative Scheme Outlined

Boston, May 14.—The closing day of the National Episcopal congress was regarded as the most notable of the week. The list of speakers included the Rt. Rev. William Crosswell Doane, bishop of Albany, N. Y.; Rev. P. Hensley Henson, canon of Westminster, London, widely known throughout the Anglican world as one of the leaders of the so-called radical broad churchmen, and Rev. Joseph H. Barry, rector-elect of the Church of St. Mary the Virgin, New York, a leader of the high church element.

Rev. Dr. H. H. Oberly, of Elizabeth, N. J., outlined a plan of church union, based upon the following terms:

1. Each denomination to retain temporarily its independent existence, governed by its own laws and officers, subject to the bishop of the diocese as president and having the sole right of ordination and confirmation.

2. Each denomination to use the sacramental form and repeat the creeds publicly, in other respects to be free as to forms of worship.

3. All ministers to be recognized as holding a ministerial office and as possessing the prophetical gift, but to receive ordination as to the priesthood supplementing what powers they already possess, and making them "priests of the church of God."

4. All people to receive confirmation and thus be admitted to communion of the Catholic church. Intercommunion to be encouraged. Priests to celebrate at each other's altars. Exchanging pulpits means nothing, but blessing altars means everything.

5. Proselyting and rivalry between churches to cease.

Right Rev. W. Crosswell Doane, bishop of Albany, today declared: "The outlook for the unity of visible Christianity, that is to say, of a unity that involves uniformity so as to abolish differences of religious opinion, or expressions of feeling seems not likely to be realized in this world. I wish that our eyes were turned more, as they used to be, toward the movement in Europe, and I do think it is our bounded duty to take steps toward reconciling the Reformed church in America."

PEOPLE THRONG TO SEE TOWNSITE LOTS

S. S. Camosun Has Overflowing Passenger List On Way To Prince Rupert

Large numbers of people are making their way to Prince Rupert at present, due it is said to the desire of would-be investors to look over the townsite lots prior to the time they are thrown upon the market. When the Union S. S. company Camosun left Vancouver on Thursday night every berth was taken, and the scene when the vessel left the wharf was reminiscent of the old time rushes north.

Among those who sailed on the Camosun were: J. A. Finlay, J. Connors, H. W. Turner, C. M. Walsh and wife, A. P. Shannon, Livingstone, Hyde, J. H. Allice, H. Herder, A. M. Hunter, A. Herder, Vickers, G. Leek, Sloan and family, Johnson and wife, J. A. Sutherland, J. Carroll, T. Sloan, J. Stewart, Cummings and wife, A. Bigelow, Tanyborn, J. J. Dunlop, J. A. Burnside, A. Owen, G. W. Cripps, D. McEween, D. D. Mulligan, H. Burmaster, Angus G. Anstey, A. Hull, A. Noble, V. Rhys, Mrs. Carlson, Mrs. Wallace, Miss Wilbur, F. R. Giertson, J. Peterson, Holbrook, D. J. Hunter, G. Manson, Rehberg, R. M. Walker, G. M. Moser, Niles, G. J. Cox, J. Kolachny, M. Wilson, G. Tolkens, G. H. Mortimer, P. McCaffry, H. E. Gibbons, J. Pearson, R. Ward, R. E. Ward, O. N. Hargerson, H. L. Leonard, M. Stawle, D. McEwan, Metz, J. Hill, J. Nicholls, J. Walsh, Tanbeneck.

EXCITING GAME STARTS JUNIOR LACROSSE

The junior lacross league was opened last night, when the North Ward team defeated Victoria West by the score of 5 to 3.

In the first quarter the initial goal was scored when Menzies netted the ball after three minutes' play. Victoria West steadied down and scored three goals in rapid succession, one by Okell, and two from the stick of Stevens. During the second quarter McGregor and D. Campbell scored one each for North Ward, making the score even. In the third the boys in green and white made several determined rushes but the clever work of Sweeney and Dakers proved a stone wall defence. Before the close of the third quarter a scuffle in front of the West's goal resulted in one more tally for the royal blues. With but a few minutes to play in the last quarter D. Campbell shot one more goal, putting the result beyond doubt. Ab. McDonald gave perfect satisfaction as referee and had the boys understand that no rough work was to be indulged in. Alex. Monteith held the watch, and Jack Sweeney and Stan Okell were goal umpires.

Glidden Pathfinder

Colorado Springs, May 14.—The Glidden tour pathfinder car is now on the final section of its 2500 mile tour. The pathfinder arrived in Colorado Springs from Denver this afternoon. It will resume the journey tomorrow, going directly east from Colorado Springs to Hugo, Colo., thence following the line of the Union Pacific railroad to Kansas City, where it is planned to end the tour this summer. The total miles traversed by the car since leaving Detroit is 2116 miles.

Venezuela Cable

Caracas, Venezuela, May 14.—The cable connecting Venezuela with the outside world was to be opened to the general public yesterday. The tolls between Caracas and New York in either direction have been reduced to one dollar per word. M. Brun, representing the cable company and Senor Anzonella, the attorney-general, signed an agreement yesterday in settlement of difficulties between the company and the government.

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FORTY YEARS AGO.

British Colonist, May 15, 1869: Hon. Mr. Pemberton with a posse of police left on the Sir James Douglas yesterday for Cowichan, where a serious dispute has arisen between the government surveyors and the Indian tribes respecting the reserve. In one instance the surveyors were warned off the reserve and a part of the apparatus taken by the natives. Government will experience trouble in Cowichan if it continues to disregard the rights of the natives to the land there.

It is a curious fact that gold was discovered in California in 1848, and the rush to the Pacific coast took place in 1849. Gold was discovered at Fraser river in 1858, and the immigration thither commenced the same year. The treasures of White Pine were discovered in 1868, and during this year of 1869 a prodigious human tide will set toward the new Silverado from both sides of the continent. The movements of the car of progress seem to be by decades.

Admiral Hornby is announced to leave England shortly with a flying squadron of six frigates, for the Cape of Good Hope, China, Japan, Australia, New Zealand and Vancouver Island. Admiral Hornby commanded H.M.S. Tribune on this station in 1860.

A private dispatch received from Yale a few days ago announced the discovery of rich hill diggings on Lightning Creek, Cariboo.

The Enterprise got off at 11.20 o'clock yesterday morning. She carried about forty passengers, among whom were: Hon. H. M. Ball, J. A. Webster, H. Nelson, O. Hare and M. Morris.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mrs. F. J. Dolly, of Duncans, spent yesterday in the city.

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Thomas Bennett left last night on a business trip to Nelson, B. C.

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J. P. Ferguson, of Montreal, is a guest at the Empress hotel, arriving yesterday.

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Mrs. Harry Pooley left last night on the Princess Royal on a short visit to Vancouver.

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Mrs. W. Hallatt, of Calgary, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. H. M. Diggon, of Hill street.

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Mrs. S. M. Jones left yesterday via the Northern Pacific on a visit to Portland, Ore.

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J. R. Shearer, of the Robt. Ward & Co., left yesterday on a business trip to San Francisco.

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Mrs. A. Elder and daughter left yesterday for Portland, Ore., where they will reside in future.

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Miss M. K. Macdonald, of Winnipeg, who has been visiting in the city, left last night on her return to the east.

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H. J. Scott, of the Hamilton Powder company, left last evening on a trip to Montreal via the C. P. R.

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M. Hulton-Harrop, of Shropshire, England, arrived in the city yesterday and registered at the Empress hotel.

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C. A. Stoess, a civil engineer connected with the big irrigation scheme near Keremeos is i nthe cit yon business.

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F. C. Heney, the contractor who is building the railway from Cordova to Copper City in Alaska is in the city on business.

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Mrs. Jessie Holt left yesterday via the Northern Pacific for her home at St. Joseph, Mo., after an extended visit with friends here.

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Charles Knowles left last night on an extended trip to the old country. He will travel via the C. P. R. and the Empress of Britain.

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After spending the winter in Mexico, Mrs. Griffith and Miss W. Griffith have returned to the city. They will leave in a few days for Banff.

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Miss R. McB. Smith proved a charming hostess last Thursday evening when she entertained a number of friends at a Five Hundred party.

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Among the passengers on the Princess Royal for Vancouver last evening were G. F. Young, C. C. Worsfold, F. T. Cromwell, H. J. Scott, T. McCaffey, F. Whitelow, W. O. Burke.

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Miss Vyvian Cousins entertained a number of friends on Thursday evening at her home, 2209 Douglas street. Those present were: Misses Rhoda McGary, Annie Dakers, Roxy Cain and Frances Griffiths; and Messrs. Roland Reade, Harry Johnson and Harry Macdonald.

AMUSEMENTS

Edmund Gardiner Company

Today furnishes the last chance to see "The Case of Rebellious Susan" presented at the Victoria theatre by the Edmund Gardiner company. There will be two performances, a matinee at 2.30 this afternoon, when popular prices will prevail and the best seat in the house can be obtained for 50 cents, and the usual performance this evening. At night the officers and men of the visiting Japanese fleet will be present and the former will make a brave show in uniform in the boxes, all of which have been taken for the occasion by Admiral Ijichi.

Next week "His Excellency the Governor" will be on the boards. This is one of the most amusing plays put on a stage. It is a matter for regret that Mr. Gardiner himself cannot take one of the comedy parts as he originally intended, but his multifarious duties as financial, stage and general manager and director made this impossible. The play, however, will in any event be well cast and the most hilarious fun may be counted upon. It is one succession of ridiculously funny incidents and there will be a continual roar of laughter throughout the piece. Darrell Standing will take the title role and the cast generally will be the same as are playing this week.

Pantages' Theatre

Matinee this afternoon and the two night performances will be the last in Victoria for the excellent show now at the Pantages. The equal of Mr. Bentley, the xylophone soloist, has never been heard in this city, while the balance of the attractions including Renfrew and Jensen in "The Second Mr. Fiddle," Petrie and Budd with their neck breaking and side-splitting comedy, the Daring Darts doing a very sensational balancing ladder novelty; James Dixon singing "Dear Heart," and an especially entertaining double set of motion scenes on the bioscope, are all good. The work of constructing a new stage for the elephants is going on between shows and will be in readiness to hold the heaviest load ever placed on a local platform for amusement purposes.

Premier Returns

Hon. Richard McBride returned to the city yesterday from New Westminster where he has been spending the last few days.

New Rock Crusher

The new portable rock crusher recently purchased by the municipality of Oak Bay has been installed on Wilmot place. The whole outfit is very compact and admirably suited for the work it will be called upon to do.

Reception on Monday

The Japanese warships at Esquimalt will remain at Victoria one day longer than was originally intended, the departure having been postponed by Admiral Ijichi from Monday to Tuesday. On Monday it is proposed to hold a reception on board the flagship Aso at Esquimalt.

Pleased With Brigade

J. O. Cameron, president of the Cameron Lumber company, has expressed his appreciation of the excellent work of the fire brigade at Tuesday night's fire in the premises of the company, when by the prompt arrival of the fireman and their good work the spread of the flames was arrested and property of great value saved.

Cricket Match Today.

An eleven from the Victoria Cricket club meets a team from Strawberry Vale at the Jubilee hospital grounds this afternoon at two o'clock. The Victoria team is as follows: L. S. V. Yorke, Alexis Martin, J. W. D. Yorke, N. W. Rant, W. R. Gooch, S. J. Marshall, W. Shelton, R. F. Faulder, W. T. Williams and R. P. Senn.

Utilization of Y. M. C. A. Site

Whether to allow the small buildings on the site recently secured for the new Y. M. C. A. building to remain or remove them and use the ground for some other purpose is the question agitating the building committee of the Y. M. C. A. The new building will occupy all but sixty feet of the site and to utilize the remainder of the site is the question. A proposal has been made that a glass enclosure be erected and the ground be turned into a tennis court for winter months.

Room for Visitors

James Fullerton, of Seattle, a visitor to the city yesterday, states that the talk that there will be no accommodation for visitors to the A.-Y.-P. fair is misleading and untrue. The Chamber of Commerce there is taking every precaution that reasonable rates shall be charged and the numerous information bureaus will afford every facility to the visitor to secure quarters at a fair charge. Mr. Fullerton declares that everything will be in readiness on the date set for the opening.

Meeting Postponed

Owing to the fact that it has not been possible to secure all the entries for the regatta to be held at the Gorge on the 24th the meeting of the regatta committee scheduled for last evening was postponed until Monday evening next at 8 o'clock in the office of J. E. Smart. The J. B. A. A. is holding a regatta today when the crews to be entered in the Victoria day aquatic event will be determined and until these entries are decided upon the regatta committee will not finally issue the programme.

ENGINE STOPPED JUST IN NICK OF TIME

Gasoline Gave Out in Traction Engine As Man Is Being Drawn in

York, Pa., May 14.—The gasoline in a traction engine, which Adam Crumbling, eighty years old, of Lower Windsor Township, was drawing into his barn, gave out just in time to save him from death.

Crumbling had been threshing grain and was pulling off the engine into the barn by means of a snatch block, using the engine's own power, when the rope gave way, catching him and dragging him toward the machinery. His arms were broken and he was in danger of being crushed, with no way of shutting off the power, when the gasoline gave out and the engine stopped.

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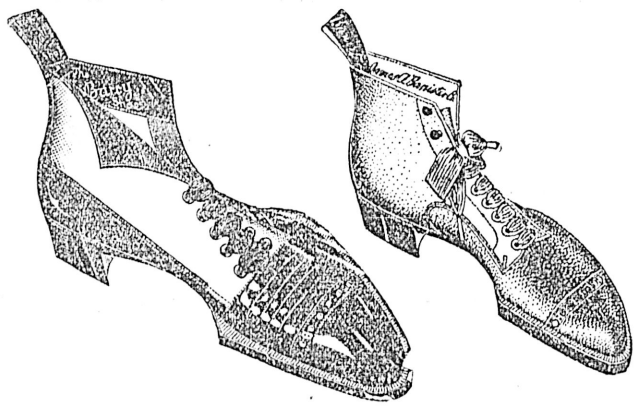

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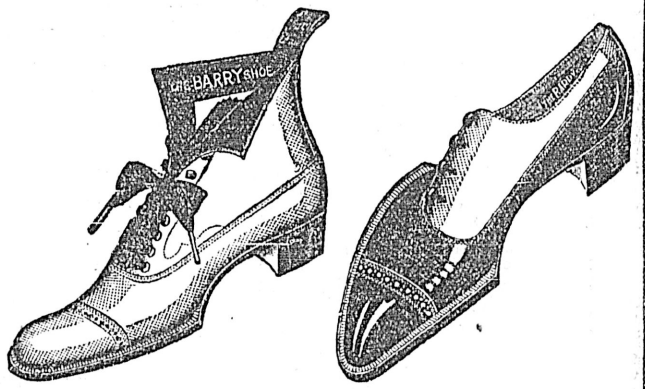

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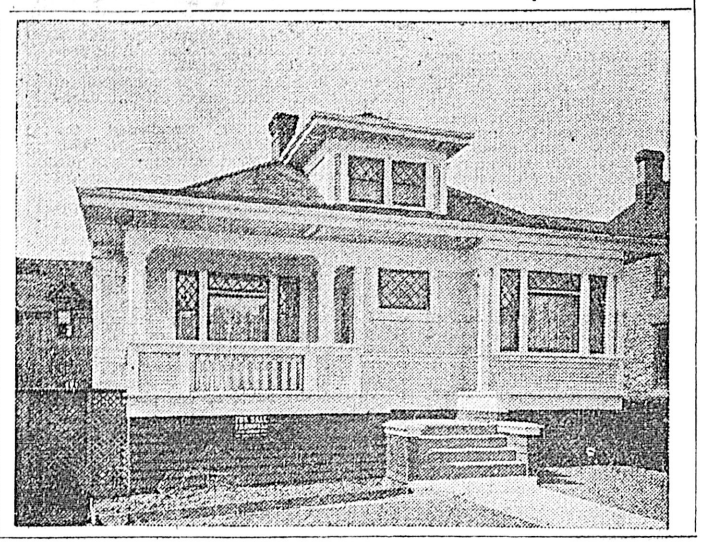

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Company Formed To Recover Over $120,000,000 Buried In Sunken Galleons

Vigo Bay, with its sunken Spanish galleons loaded with treasure, has once more attracted the attention of the adventurous, and a company has been formed, under the title of the Sea Salvage Company, Ltd., which has obtained from the Spanish government a concession to work in the bay, treasure hunting, till 1915, the company surrendering twenty per cent of all value recovered.

The treasure has laid at the bottom of the sea since 1702. Spain was then in the heyday of her power, and from her West Indian possessions used to draw gold and silver to the value of $45,000,000 a year.

A fleet of galleons, guarded by men-of-war, arrived at Vigo in 1702 bearing the accumulated treasure of three years—some $84,000,000—only to be attacked by the combined English and Dutch fleets under Sir George Rooke. The Spaniards, to save the treasure falling into the hands of the victorious allies, sank the galleons.

What gold was rescued before the battle, what was captured by the many salvage enterprises that have been attracted to the bay amounts in all to about $15,000,000. Beneath the blue waves of the bay—there remains a treasure in gold and silver estimated, to be precise, at $123,256,615.

In addition to the gold and silver on board the galleons, the wonderfully carved wood of these fine old ships and and their general cargo of precious jewels—pearls, amethysts, emeralds—and the rare woods brought from the South American forests, form a treasure which alone would repay years of work spent on its recovery. The general cargo, indeed, is estimated to be almost as valuable as the bullion.

The leading spirit of the enterprise is an Italian gentleman—Dr. Carlo L. Iberti—and the hope of finding the treasure rest on the invention of another Italian, Cavaliere Guiseppe Pino.

A Wonderful Invention

The principal invention, perhaps, is the hydroscope, or a telescope for use under water. The hydroscope is a steel platform buoyed on a cork base, on which twenty men can stand. From its centre a telescope hollow column of steel descends into the sea, with a diameter large enough to permit a man to descend it, by means of some rungs.

At the end is an optical chamber provided with mechanical arms, which will pick up any object desired, and a system of wonderful lenses and reflectors allows objects within a distance of 2,000 square yards to be seen from above. In the chamber are powerful electric lamps, which illuminate the water during the night or at great depth when it is required. The camera has been adapted to the lenses so that beautiful photographs can be taken of objects seen. From the bottom of the hydroscope the directors have viewed the galleons lying where they sunk over 200 years ago.

With the hydroscope is a submarine boat of such cunning invention, according to the design and the prospectus, that it is a free agent, and can swim in the waters beneath or travel the sea-floor like a motor-car. A specimen of this boat was sold for $190,000 to the Japanese government to locate the Russian wrecks sunk at Port Arthur. It is driven electrically by propellers, and is furnished with mechanical arms for attaching tackle to objects under water.

It opens up a new diabolic vista of naval warfare, for it can be fitted with torpedo tubes; and, should something go wrong with the works, its crew of three can get into a cylindrical section of it, release it, and bob up to the surface like a buoy.

For actually raising the sunken ships there are the elevators, consisting of cylinders made of rubber canvas, into which compressed air is pumped, each cylinder capable of raising forty tons out of the water; there are mechanical arms to embrace the hull which is to be salved, or to pass cables beneath a keel when the wreck is weak; and pyro-pontoons, capable of bearing practically any weight. Once raised by a pyro-pontoon, a ship may be considered as in a dry dock, and repairing operations may be carried out on the spot.

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MONEY FOR EDUCATION

Generous Offer Made To B. C. Conference By Trustees of Massey Estate—Church Statistics

New Westminster, May 14.—At the meeting of the B. C. Methodist conference today, a letter was read from the trustees of the Massey estate, Toronto, offering to donate $25,000 to church educational work in British Columbia contingent upon the British Columbia Methodists raising $75,000 to supplement the fund before the end of the year. Dr. Sipprell, principal of the Columbian College, stated that he had already secured promises of $40,000 towards this.

Rev. T. Green presented the report of the statistical committee. The membership is 7829, an increase over last year of 716. The amount raised for ministerial support is $78,534, an increase of $7774. Total raised for all purposes, $217,557, an increase of $31,438.

Rev. James Calvert, the newly elected president of the conference, has the distinction of having been the first missionary ordained in the British Columbia conference in 1887. The other officers of the conference are: Rev. A. E. Roberts, Victoria, re-elected secretary; Rev. R. S. Stillman, Vancouver, assistant secretary, and Rev. T. H. White, Ashcroft, general secretary.

ZELAYA'S SON IS IN A CHEAP THEATRE

Only Male Child of President of Nicaragua Toils With Wife in Dime Show House

Washington, May 14.—Alfonso Zelaya, the only son of President Zelaya of Nicaragua, and his pretty young wife are supporting themselves and their baby by working at a five-cent theatre on Ninth street, here. Mrs. Zelaya sells tickets at the window and Zelaya plays the piano. They are on duty during the afternoon and at night. They live in a three-room flat.

The reason of their straitened financial circumstances is not known, as through feeling of pride they do not wish to talk about the matter. Zelaya, after failing to pass his examination at West Point four years ago, came to Washington, and met Miss Marguerite Baker, the adopted daughter of Dr. W. W. Baker of the Postoffice Department. They became engaged. Young Zelaya was then forcibly taken to Nicaragua. He managed to return, however, and married Miss Baker in 1906. A report came last year that President Zelaya had been won over to accept his daughter-in-law, but apparently he is still hostile.

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KANSAS WOMEN WANT TO CAST VOTES

Leader Has Mighty Poor Opinion of Women Who Aren't Suffragettes

Topeka, May 14.—The women suffragists of Kansas have not lost heart through their failure to obtain recognition and have resolved to work harder than ever for their cause.

Mrs. Hiatt Brown, of Topeka, who is one of the leaders in the cause, has the following to say concerning the present situation:

"The good mothers and good housekeepers do not lose any of their womanly womanliness by standing up for their rights as citizens. Women as mothers, as housekeepers are the guiding lights of our children. As no true man loses his manliness by casting his vote on the right side, no woman can lose her womanhood or womanliness by casting her vote for the man she thinks will work for better homes, better laws, better schools, cleaner cities and wholesome clothes and food. 'Tis not the weak, frivolous society belles who are seeking the ballots. Many of these people would not keep a clean, respectable home, if they had it. But to the broad-minded club women, the good mothers and good homekeepers—they see the need of the ballot."

PROFITABLE MINING

Canadian Consolidated Company Doing Well With Its Mines and Its Smelter

Rossland, May 14.—The Canadian Consolidated Mining and Smelting company treated ore at its Trail smelter during the first quarter of this year, yielding values of $1,117,000. The refinery produced 4445 tons of pig lead, and in addition to shipments to eastern Canada, China and Japan, the company has shipped during April 250 tons to Australia, which is a record shipment of Canadian lead to that country.

In the north vein of the Centre Star mine a new ore body has been uncovered which carries just double the values of the usual run of the mine, while the big ore body in the War Eagle, estimated to contain one million dollars in values, is practically untouched. The net profits of the Centre Star group alone for April were $36,500.

SMALL DANGER FROM TUBERCULAR MILK

Washington, D.C., May 14.—That there is a tendency to overrate the danger to children from milk from tubercular cattle was the decided view expressed today at the session of the National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis. The subject was exhaustively treated in a joint paper by Drs. Henry Shaw and Arthur T. Laird, of Albany, N. Y., who took the position that the attention of the public should not be diverted from the great and real danger of human contagion. If, they argued, tuberculosis milk was so virulent as so many declared, it was difficult to conceive how any children at all escaped infection.

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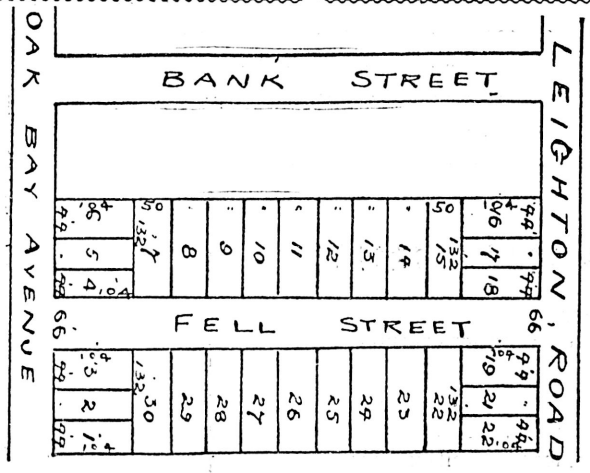

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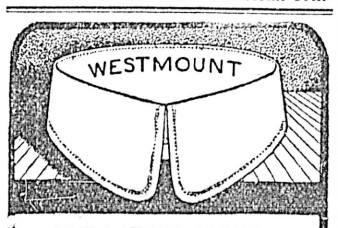
ENCOURAGEMENT OF FISHERIES

Good Results Expected From Rebates To Be Granted By Government

Vancouver, May 14.—In order to encourage the development of the Canadian fishing industry on the Pacific coast, where the bounty system prevailing in the Atlantic maritime provinces does not obtain, the Dominion government recently passed an order-in-council granting a rebate of one-third of the express rates on all shipments of fresh fish billed from here by Canadian fishing companies or Canadian fishermen to any point in Alberta, Saskatchewan, and Manitoba.

This rebate or bonus applies to any variety of sea fish caught in Canadian waters, including salmon, halibut, oysters, crabs and clams.

Fishing firms and dealers are jubilant over the proposed system of rebates authorized at Ottawa. They declare that it will drive American competition out of the three provinces, and will also tend to stimulate the consumption of sea fish there. The prairie market hitherto has been a small one, but with the rapid increase of population it is one of great possibilities.



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MAYOR SETS DATE OF GAME AS HOLIDAY

New Westminster, May 14.—Mayor Keary has expressed his intention of arranging for a civic holiday on Thursday next on account of the first Minto cup match between the New Westminster and Regina teams, and the matter will be dealt with at the meeting of the council on Monday evening.

The second game will be played on Monday, Victoria Day, which is a public holiday, so that the people of this city will have a chance of witnessing both games.

The members of the team were out to practice again last night, which was the last regular turnout before the game on Thursday next. Every player is in splendid condition.

The champions will make their next appearance on the field tomorrow, when they will meet the team of fourteen intermediates. Only light practice will be held on Monday and Tuesday evenings.

The team will make its appearance in new uniforms this year, as they have already been ordered, and will probably be ready by Saturday.

The intermediates who will line up against the seniors on Saturday will probably be: Munn, Digby, Marshall, B. Galbraith, Lund, Robertson, H. Gifford, W. Warwick, Fitzgerald, E. Warwick, G. Spring, Latham, Swanson, Sangster.

AUSTRALIAN PARTY

Press Delegates Hospitably Received By Citizens of Fort William and Port Arthur

Fort William, Ont., May 14.—After enjoying the profuse hospitality of Winnipeg, the Australian press delegates arrived here this morning and were met by the mayors of this city and Port Arthur and a large number of prominent citizens. The party were taken for a sail along the harbor and shown how wheat was loaded on vessels, visited the big Ogilvie mills and were entertained at luncheon at the Canadian club, at which Messrs. Davie and Fenwick spoke in reply to addresses of welcome from the two cities. The toast of the C. P. R. was received with enthusiasm. Port Arthur was visited in the afternoon and the visitors were delighted with the progress of the town. They sailed at 4 o'clock and were given a hearty send-off by a large gathering. They expect to reach Toronto about 10 o'clock Sunday afternoon by special train from Owen Sound.

WRIGHT AEROPLANES FOR GERMAN EMPIRE

Celebrated Aviators Form Flying Machine Company at Berlin

Berlin, May 14.—The Wright Flying Machine Company, Limited, has been organized here with a capital of $125,000. It will construct and operate aeroplanes of the Wright system.

The Wright Brothers placed at the disposal of the company all the results of their experiences and rights, whether patented or not, for the German Empire and its colonies and protectorate as well for Sweden, Denmark and Turkey.

The arrangements cover a period of fifteen years, during which the company is entitled to use all improvements discovered. The Wrights agree to send an aeroplane here immediately with which tests will be made in Berlin in August and September about the time the brothers are here giving instructions to pupils.

RUSSIAN "ROBIN HOOD"

Noted Bandit Betrayed by Member Of His Band and Killed By Rural Guard

Mohiliv, Russia, May 14.—The noted robber chieftain Savitzky, the "Robin Hood" of the Russian revolution, has been killed by members of the rural guard in a neighboring village after a fight that lasted four hours.

Savitzky was a high school student when he took to brigandage and had been terrorizing the people of the province of Tchernigov and Mohiliv for several years, but he was a source of amusement to the rest of Russia on account of his dare-devil exploits.

He delighted in playing fantastic tricks upon the police. Once, on a wager, disguised as a priest, he visited the governor of this province and various other officials. It was his custom to rob only the rich and he distributed his spoils among the peasantry.

He was betrayed by a member of his band.

FATAL AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENT AT LIEGE

Machine Skidded, Crushed Two Children, and Rolled Down Embankment Against Train

Liege, Belgium, May 14.—A remarkable and fatal automobile accident occurred here today. While one machine was trying to pass another on the road it skidded against a wall and crushed the life out of two children who were passing at the time. The car was then carried by its own power down an embankment and thrown against a passing railroad train. It was a heavy machine and as it crashed into the train two passengers were seriously injured, while the chauffeur and owner were killed. The car itself was reduced to matchwood.

REICHSTAG HAS EXCITING SESSION

Dissolution of "Bloc" Indicated by Stand Taken by National Liberals and Radicals

Berlin, May 14.—The Reichstag committee which has been discussing the new tax bills had an exciting session yesterday on the subject of the tobacco taxes.

Chairman Pasche, National Liberal, having been overruled on a point of order, resigned. The National Liberals and Radicals united in declaring that

Poor Old Heinze Again.

New York, May 14.—A. August Heinze, already under indictment on a charge of over-certification of his brother Otto Heinze's cheques, was arraigned before Circuit Court Judge Hough today on a new indictment charging misapplication of funds of the Mercantile National bank in March and October, 1907.

Finest Train on Record

Tacoma, Wash., May 14.—The finest Great Northern train ever seen in Tacoma was inspected by 2,976 people in six hours yesterday. The train was one of ten de luxe outfits built by the Great Northern for its Oriental Limited service, which will operate direct between Tacoma and Chicago, beginning May 23.

Jury Blames Motorman.

Vancouver, B. C., May 14.—The coroner's jury in the case of John Samkew, who was killed by a dump car accident on the B. C. Electric Railway today brought in a verdict blaming Motorman Brooks for carelessness and adding blame to the company for allowing persons other than motoneers in the cab of a work car.

Woman Murdered

Hartshorne, Okla., May 14.—Mrs. George Hooks, wife of a restaurant keeper, was found dead in bed in her home here today. She evidently had been murdered with a butcher knife, which lay near the body. There is no clue to the murderer, nor is a motive known. The body had been hacked and one arm broken, as if in a struggle, and was found by the husband.

Big Coal Merger Completed

Fairmort, W. Va., May 14.—Arrangements were completed here today for the formation of the Consolidated Coal Co. of Fairmont. It will comprise the five big companies already operating here, the majority of the stock of each company having been owned by the Fairmont Coal Company. The capital of the new company will be $40,000,000.

Heard His Funeral Sermon

Gas City, Ind., May 14.—On his deathbed, Elias B. Burns, 88 years old, today heard his funeral sermon preached. After having been advised by his physician that he could live only a few hours more, Mr. Burns summoned Rev. Henry Scwan and forty of his neighbors. Hymns were sung and a sermon was preached. Later the sick man relapsed into delirium.

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HE—"Yes I know, but I don't like to put $3,500 into a home, although I'll admit it is Better Value than that $4,000 one we looked at farther out."

SHE—"See what we would save in car fare, it is so close in. And then the terms are easy. Won't you buy it? Everything about it suggests taste, and thorough workmanship, and a nice home means so much to one."

HE—"Well, I'm busy today, but if it is still on the market tomorrow, I'll buy it."

SHE—"Well I'm sure it won't be, there are enough shrewd Buyers in town looking for a home to grab it if they once saw it."

THEY were evidently discussing that new, modern, furnace-heated bungalow at 933 Mears Street, now cut to three thousand five hundred dollars.

On the Waterfront

VANCOUVER TO HAVE DRYDOCK

Big Undertaking, With Machine Shops, etc., Will Cost $1,250,000

CONSTRUCTION TO START THIS SUMMER

Site of Works On Burrard Inlet—Will Have Large Capacity

There is every probability that Vancouver in the near future wil be provided with an up-to-date drydock, with accompanying machine shops, etc. The proposal has been in the air for some time past, and is now understood to be taking definite form, as it is stated that negotiations are in progress in Ottawa. The sum which will be expended on the undertaking is $1,250,000.

The syndicate which is to undertake this work is headed by Nicol P. Thompson, of Vancouver, and the site which has been selected is the Ross and Howard Ironworks, on Burrard Inlet. Some time ago an option was taken on this land, and the deal will be put through within a short time, as it is proposed to start work on the undertaking this summer.

The dimensions of the proposed drydock are not yet known, but it is believed that it will be of a capacity to take in all the merchant vessels which come to British Columbia waters. What effect its construction will have upon the Esquimalt drydock is as yet problematical, but it is hardly likely that it will attract business from the local works in view of the extra pilotage fees which are charged for passing up the straits. It is believed that the new dock will be large enough to accommodate the Empress liners and if any mishap overtakes them in local waters they will be able to effect repairs at Vancouver. At present, whenever the docking of these vessels becomes necessary, they have to wait until they reach Hong Kong.

The establishment of this dock at Vancouver will mean a great impetus to the shipping business of that port. It was arranged for over two years ago, when the Dominion government made an appropriation. The fact that the scheme is now on the eve of consummation, is due in large measure to the representations made by a Vancouver delegation which recently visited Ottawa and laid the matter before the government.

SEAL CATCH IN SOUTHERN SEAS

Beatrice L. Corkum Takes 1,100 Skins From Marion Island

With a catch totalling 1100 seal skins the Halifax sealing schooner Beatrice L. Corkum has returned to her home port from Marion Island, where the pelts were taken. Her owner, A. J. Bechtel, of this city, has just gone east to refit her for another cruise to southern seas in an effort to locate hitherto unknown sealing grounds.

The Beatrice L. Corkum followed the schooner Agnes G. Donahue to the Indian ocean where the two schooners prospected for sealing grounds. On Marion Island the wreck of the Norwegian steamer Soiglimt, which had stranded on an offshore rock while hunting sea elephants, was found, and the seventy-five shipwrecked Norwegians, who would probably have been all lost as no vessel had previously been to the island as far as is known for forty years, were saved by the sealers.

Many of the seals taken were found at the Marion Islands, a small group in the southern part of the Indian ocean, hundreds of miles from the track of shipping. Visits were made at a number of islands and landings made on some. Several were volcanic and on one or two the lava so soft that the hunters sank their feet deep.

There was considerable bird life on the islands. Both penguins and albatross were found in great flocks. They did not seem to mind the presence of the hunters, strutting about unconcernedly, often in lines like a regiment of soldiers.

Capt. Balcom, of the schooner Agnes G. Donahue, which made the record catch of over 4,120 sealskins in the Indian ocean, arrived in Victoria some days ago and is to leave for Halifax early next week to outfit the Agnes G. Donahue for another cruise. The schooner will proceed first to the Indian ocean and probably will go later to the islands off the south of New Zealand at the edge of the Antarctic.

LEELANAW TO LEAVE PORT

Steamer Repaired Here Will Probably Engage In Nome Trade

Bound in all probability to Seattle the steamship Leelanaw, which a few days ago finished repairing at the yards of the Victoria Machinery Depot, will leave the inner harbor next week. The Leelanaw will likely engage in the Nome trade this summer carrying general merchandise between Puget Sound and Alaskan points. She has been thoroughly overhauled and is in better trim than for a number of years past.

The steamer Geo. W. Elder sailed yesterday from Astoria to San Pedro.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE

By Government Wireless

Point Grey, 8 a.m.—Cloudy; calm; bar. 30.94; temp. 45; steamer D. G. S. Quadra at Ladysmith.

Cape Lazo, 8 a.m.—Cloudy; northwest wind; bar. 20.05; temp. 48; sea moderate; no shipping.

Tatoosh, 8 a. m.—Cloudy; south wind; bar. 30.05; temp. 48; sea smooth; out, steamer K. Lonsdale, 8 p. m.; steamer Argyle, 8 p.m.

Estevan, 8 a. m.—Overcast; northwest wind; bar. 30.07; temp. 48; sea smooth; no shipping.

Pachena, 8 a. m.—Overcast; southeast wind; bar. 30.00; temp. 48; sea moderate; no shipping.

Cape Lazo, noon—Cloudy; bar. 30.03; temp. 45; sea smooth; northbound, steamer Humboldt, 11.35 a.m.

Point Grey, noon—Cloudy, a northwest wind; bar. 30.09; temp. 45; out, two-masted steamer, 10.45 a.m.

Tatoosh, noon—Cloudy, westerly wind; bar. 30.89; temp. 45; sea smooth; out, barge, towing, 7 a. m.; out, steam schooner Fairhaven, 10.45 a.m.; in, steam schooner O. Lena, 11.30 a.m.

Pachena, noon—Cloudy; bar. 30.98; temp. 45; light swell; no shipping.

Estevan, noon—Cloudy, northerly breeze; bar. 30.98; temp. 35; sea smooth; no shipping.

Tatoosh, 6 p. m. — Cloudy; southwest, 4 miles; bar. 30.04; temp. 50; sea smooth; steam schooner Borealis towing at at 1.40 p.m.; out, steamer President at 4.45 p.m.; out, U.S.S. Armeria at 5.50 p.m.

Cape Lazo, 6 p.m.—Cloudy; calm; bar. 30.00; temp. 55; sea moderate; no shipping.

Point Grey, 6 p.m.—Drizzling, calm; bar. 29.92; temp. 56; hazy seaward; no shipping.

Pachena, 6 p.m. — Cloudy; southeast wind; bar. 29.95; temp. 59; light swell; no shipping.

Estevan, 6 p. m. — Southeast wind; bar. 30.14; temp. 52; sea moderate; S.S. Northwestern southbound, 35 miles northwest of Cape Cook at 12.30 p.m.

Bound for Clayoquot and way ports on the west coast of Vancouver Island the steamer Tees, Captain Townsend, left port last night. The following took passage from here: H. E. Newton, G. Goss, S. B. Smith, R. T. Godman, Mr. Betterton and Mrs. Southgate.

WHALERS BUSY ON WEST COAST

Total of 113 Mammals Taken To Date—Record Year Expected

The success which has attended the steam whalers Orion and St. Lawrence on the West coast of Vancouver Island this year already would indicate that a record number of the mammals will be taken this year. Up to the time the C. P. R. steamer Tees left the stations at Sechart and Kyuquot on her last trip up the coast a total of 113 whales had been captured and they are reported to have been seen in larger numbers this year than for some time past. If the present rate of progression is maintained by the stations up to October, when the summer season ends, a total of 600 of the mammals should be taken. The St. Lawrence operating from Kyuquot has up to date captured 57 and the Orion at Sechart 56. The largest number captured in a day this season has been seven, which the Orion brought to port early this week.

Despite the low price of oil on the Glasgow market the Pacific Whaling company is still shipping this product there by the Blue Funnel liners. Some few consignments have already left port and these will increase in bulk as the season advances.

CAME UP STRAITS WITH VISITING WARSHIPS

City of Puebla Encounters Rough Weather On Way From San Francisco

Bucking head winds during the voyage from San Francisco until she rounded Cape Flattery on her way to this port the Pacific Coast S. S. Company"s steamer City of Puebla arrived at the outer wharf yesterday morning, having had the experience of meeting and accompanying the Japanese training cruisers Aso and Soya on their way to Esquimalt. The Puebla brought a mixed cargo of the usual class of merchandise, shipped between San Francisco and this port. Her passenger list numbered 183, of whom the following debarked: Mrs. Watson, Mrs. Ryan, H. Moffatt and wife, W. W. Grassey, Miss M. E. McIntosh, Mrs. J. S. Knight, J. Louido, M. Rorala, H. G. Smith, E. A. Robinson, T. L. Johnson, G. Kuling, J. K. Laidlaw and wife, and seven second-class passengers.

CHARLOTTE AGAIN ON TRIANGULAR RUN

Princess Royal To Make Trip To Skagway—C. P. R. and Summer Travel

Losing no time after her excursion run to the Queen Charlotte Islands and Prince Rupert the C. P. R. steamer Princess Charlotte resumed her schedule on the triangular route yesterday afternoon. The palatial C. P. R. steamer in company with the Princess Victoria and Charmer will cater to the summer tourist traffic between Puget Sound and Vancouver. The Princess Royal has been withdrawn from the triangular route, and will make a trip to Skagway, leaving here on May 17th.

The C. P. R. will make every effort to take care of the travel arising out of the Seattle exposition, and as the summer advances, a change in the present schedule, and the addition of another vessel to the ferry route may become necessary.

PROPOSED EXCURSION ON VICTORIA DAY

Local Firm May Charter Rupert City To Bring Vancouverites Here

To accommodate the large number of visitors who are likely to come here to spend Victoria Day, May 24th, arrangements are now afoot by a local shipping firm to charter the steamer Rupert City. It is proposed that she should leave Vancouver at 8 a. m. on the morning of the 24th arriving here at 1 p. m., and returning to Vancouver shortly before midnight, thus allowing Vancouverites to spend the larger portion of the day in Victoria.

The Rupert City has a license for 1200 passengers and if she runs on the proposed excursion is likely to be crowded to her capacity. She is at present engaged in the passenger trade between Vancouver and Prince Rupert.

ROYAL CITY SHIPPING

Vessels Ready To Sail With Lumber Cargoes For Australia and South America

New Westminster, May 14.—The vessels Puritan and Shurbeck, which have been loading lumber at the Fraser river mills for several weeks, will be ready to sail about the end of the present month. The Puritan is carrying a cargo to Melbourne, and the Shurbeck is bound for Valparaiso, South America.

Several other vessels are expected in the near future to load lumber at the mills, the Inverato being due to arrive on Monday next from Guaymas, Mexico.

The Clan McInnes and the Yeddo are both expected to take on cargoes for foreign ports.

Steamer Seward arrived in Seattle yesterday from Alaska, after completing a smart round trip from the Sound.

Steamer Admiral Sampson left Tacoma last evening for cattle to complete loading a cargo which she will carry to San Francisco.

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BEACHES IN COLUMBIA

Standard Oil Barge Breaks Away From Tow While Crossing Bar

Portland, Ore., May 14.—The Standard Oil Co.'s barge No. 91 which arrived off the mouth of the Columbia river last night in tow of the steamer Maverick broke her tow line when crossing the bar and beached in the river near Smith's Point. It is supposed that the barge hit the rocks or sand near the jetty. She will be lightered and towed to this city for repairs.

Marine Notes.

The United States life saving tug Snohomish, which for some time past has been lying at Seattle, has gone to Neah Bay, where she will be engaged in protecting shipping in the Straits and off the Cape.

Captain Grant's freighting steamer Selkirk is undergoing some slight repairs at the wharf of the Victoria Machinery Depot. Next week she will resume work plying among the nearby islands.

Steamer Charles Nelson sailed from Tacoma for Everett yesterday to load with a cargo of lumber.

Balfour, Guthrie & Co. have chartered the French bark Marechal de Moailles to bring a general cargo from Antwerp to Portland, Ore.

Carrying a big cargo of freight, destined for New York and the Hawaiian islands, the steamer Riverside sailed yesterday from Portland, Ore.

The German steamer Alesia, bound for Hongkong, left Astoria yesterday.

Bound from Victoria, via Yokohama, carrying the overseas mail, R. M. S. Empress of India arrived at Hongkong yesterday.

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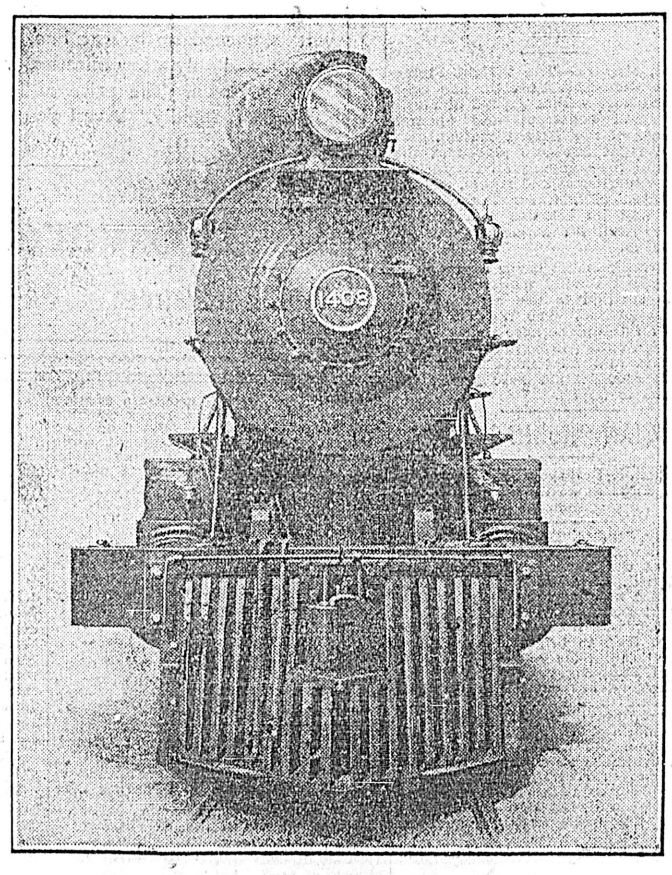

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WOULD CHANGE ACCESSION OATH

Bill Introduced by Wm. Redmond Read Second Time In Commons

London, May 14.—A comprehensive bill for the removal of Roman Catholic disabilities and providing for an alteration in the accession oath taken by the British sovereigns was introduced by William Redmond in the House of Commons today.

The Roman Catholics never have ceased to inveigh against the "insulting references to certain beliefs in the monarch's accession declaration as superstitious." The same opposition that hitherto had defeated any effort to alter the oath again showed up today when a petition signed by 400,000 persons against the removal of Roman Catholic disabilities was handed in just before Mr. Redmond rose.

Mr. Redmond's bill not only removes what is regarded as the objectionable portion of the oath of accession but it repeals the acts providing residence and the acquisition of property by the Jesuits and other monastic orders and abolishes the disqualification which prevents Catholics from filling the offices of Lord Chancellor of Great Britain and Lord Lieutenant of Ireland.

Premier Asquith gave his cordial support to the bill. He declared that the exclusion of Roman Catholics from the lord chancellorship and the lord lieutenancy was quite unjustifiable on the grounds of logic or policy.

The bill passed its second reading by a vote of 183 to 123, but there is little probability of its becoming a law at the present session. The fact that a majority of the house voted in favor of the measure, however, is regarded as a great victory for the Catholics.

MURDERERS CRY FOR MERCY

Distressing Scenes In London Court When Death Sentence is Passed

Seldom have such distressing scenes been witnessed in an English court of justice as those which occurred at the Old Bailey, when two brothers were sentenced to death recently by Mr. Justice Jelf.

Morris Reubens, aged twenty-three, a boot salesman and Marks Reubens, aged twenty-two, a costermonger, were found guilty of the murder of William Sproull, of Jarrow, second engineer of the SS. Dorset, on March 16. Sproull, with a shipmate, accompanied two women to No. 3 Rupert street late on the night of March 15. The two prisoners entered the room, an altercation took place and an hour or two later Sproull was discovered lying dead in the street, stabbed in the region of the heart.

When the trial began on Thursday the demeanor of the prisoners was one of the most abject fear. They were more collected on Friday until Mr. Travers Humphreys commenced to address the jury for the prosecution. Then they began to sob and moan. As their anxiety increased their frenzy became more intensified. It was shown beyond doubt, said Mr. Humphreys, that the hand which struck the fatal blow was the hand of Marks Reubens. With regard to Morris, he contended that if Sproull was stabbed by one of the prisoners in the presence of the other in the course of an attempt to rob, which was the common purpose of both, then it was quite immaterial which one of them inflicted the fatal blow and both were equally guilty of the crime of murder.

Sobs and Groans

When Mr. Warde spoke on the prisoners behalf their eyes were riveted upon him. They listened with feverish attention to every word he uttered.

The jury on retiring did not take long to come to a decision. The judge had told them in his summing up that if there was a prima facie case of murder they could not possibly bring in a verdict of manslaughter. The real question was whether either or both were guilty of murder.

The jury returned after an absence of twelve minutes. The prisoners had been taken below and there was some delay in bringing them up. Presently sobs and groans were heard, becoming increasingly loud as the two wretched men came in half walking, half carried up the stairs to the dock. Marks Reubens was making most of the noise; his elder brother was deathly white and seemed to be almost swooning.

The prisoners were bade to stand. "We find both prisoners guilty of murder," said the foreman of the jury in answer to the formal question of the clerk of the court.

"Oh, God! My God," moaned Morris. "Is there no recommendation of mercy for me Won't you have mercy upon me, gentlemen? Please do."

The attitude of Marks was more truculent. Crying with rage and fear—the latter emotion predominating—he endeavored to make a bolt from the dock. "Let me get out of this," he muttered between his teeth and so great were his efforts that it took three stalwart warders to restrain him.

Curses and Shrieks

Morris threw up his hands with a despairing gesture and collapsed in a semi-fainting condition into the arms of the warders.

When asked if they had anything to say why judgment should not be passed upon them, their moaning and cries broke out with renewed violence. "Don't let me die," one shrieked; "I'm too young to die."

His lordship then passed sentence on both men. Marks shrank from the ordeal, turned his face from the judge and again struggled to get away, seeming to wish to escape down the stairs. "If I've got to have it, I'll have it now," he screamed.

"Mother, mother, help me. Oh, my God, my God!" cried Morris. "Can't someone come to me?"

The condemned men had to be carried rather than led below. "God curse everyone in the court," shrieked Marks. The screams of the men could be heard for some moments as they were conducted along the passages underneath the court.

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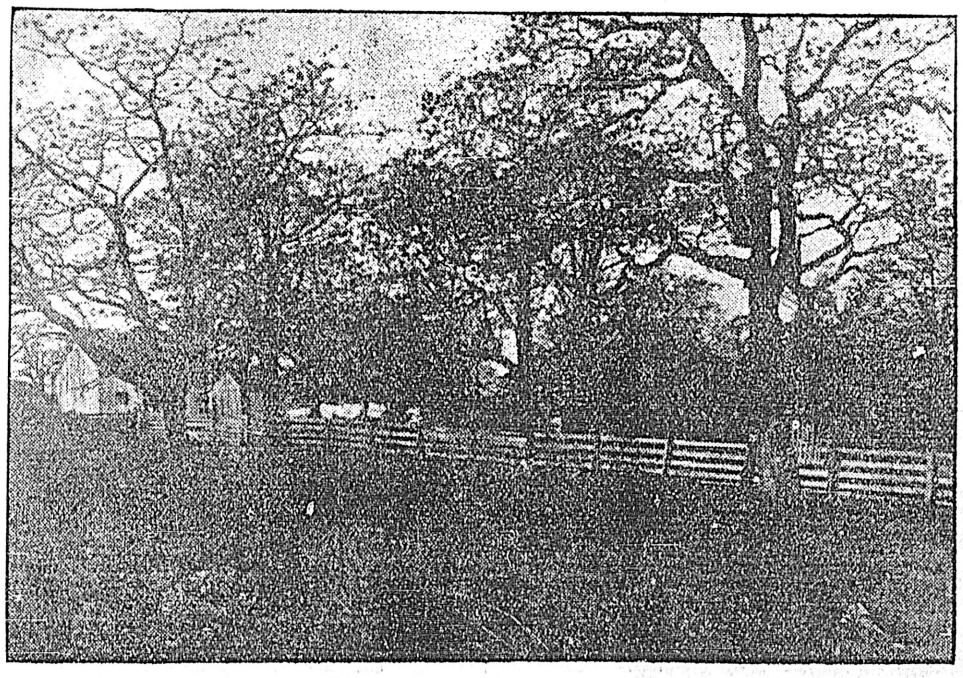

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FOR SALE—Fairfield estate, lots on Hilda St., near Linden, from $1,000; easy terms. E. C. B. Bagshawe, 613 Fort St. m13

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WANTED—To purchase, United Wireless stock. Address giving particulars, X O Q, P. O. Box 356, Victoria. m13

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WANTED—Acreage in neighborhood of Fort Simpson. Harry A. Johnston Co., Vancouver, B. C. m9

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LIQUOR LICENSE ACT.

The Hudson's Bay company hereby gives notice that one month from date hereof they will apply to the Superintendent of Provincial Police, at Victoria, for a renewal of their license to sell intoxicating liquors at the premises known as The Hudson's Bay House, situated at Telegraph Creek, in the District of Atlin.

(Signed) THE HUDSON'S BAY CO.
Per JAS. THOMSON, Mgr.
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NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the reserve existing on lot 223, Rupert district, is cancelled.
ROBT. A. RENWICK,
Deputy Commissioner of Lands.
Department of Lands, Victoria, B. C.,
March 17th, 1909.

Department of Works

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

North Dairy Schoolhouse.

Sealed tenders, superscribed "Tenders for Schoolhouse," will be received by the Hon. the Minister of Public Works up to noon of Thursday, the 20th day of May, 1909, for the erection and completion of a two-room frame schoolhouse, situated near the pumping station on the Quadra Street extension, in the Saanich municipality.

Plans, specifications, contract and forms of tender may be seen on and after the 26th day of April, 1909, at the Public Works Department, Victoria, B. C.

Each proposal must be accompanied by an accepted bank cheque or certificate of deposit on a chartered bank of Canada, made payable to the Hon. the Minister of Public Works, for a sum equivalent to ten per cent. of the amount of the tender, which shall be forfeited if the party tendering decline to enter into contract when called upon to do so, or if he fail to complete the work contracted for. The cheques or certificates of deposit of unsuccessful tenderers will be returned to them upon the execution of the contract.

Tenders will not be considered unless made out on the forms supplied, signed with the actual signature of the tenderer, and enclosed in the envelopes furnished.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

EVERED CRIDDLE,
Supervising Architect.
Public Works Department,
Victoria, B. C., 20th April, 1909.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Public School, Prince Rupert.

Sealed tenders, superscribed "Tender for Public School, Prince Rupert," will be received by the Honorable the Minister of Public Works, up to noon of Thursday, the 27th day of May, 1909, for the erection and completion of a two-story and basement frame school at Prince Rupert, B. C.

Plans, specifications, contract and forms of tender may be seen on and after the 26th day of April, 1909, at the offices of the Government Agent at Prince Rupert, of the Provincial Timber Inspector, Vancouver, and at the Public Works Department, Victoria, B. C.

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Hospital for Insane, Coquitlam Farm.

Alternative sealed tenders, superscribed "Tender for Chronic Building, Hospital for Insane, Coquitlam Farm," will be received by the Hon. the Minister of Public Works up to noon of Monday, the 31st day of May, 1909:

1. For the erection and completion of a reinforced concrete and brick building.

2. For the erection and part completion of a re-inforced concrete and brick building.

Plans, specifications, contract and forms of tender may be seen on and after the 26th day of April, 1909, at the offices of the Government Agent, New Westminster; of the Provincial Timber Inspector, Vancouver, and at the Public Works Department, Victoria, B. C.

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DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

This is to certify that the co-partnership heretofore existing between the firm known as Bailey & Blomquist, doing business as general grocers at the corner of Fort and Blanchard streets, has this day been dissolved, Mr. Edward Gee Bailey having taken over the business, who will be responsible for all accounts due by the above firm while doing business, and to whom all outstanding accounts due or accruing due the firm will have to be paid.

(Signed) E. G. BAILEY,
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Victoria, B. C., April 1st, 1909.

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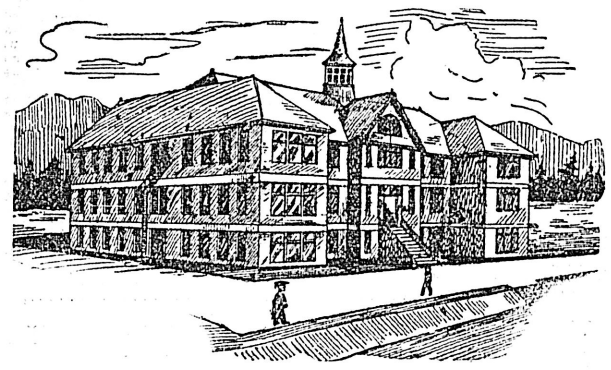

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NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given, that I intend to make application to the board of commissioners of the city of Victoria, at its next sitting for a transfer from me to John Medrich, of the license to sell liquor, etc., on the premises known as the Fountain saloon, 2600 Government street.

Dated this 5th day of May, 1909.

JOB FOSTER.

SHERIFF'S SALE

Under and by virtue of a writ of Fieri Facias issued out of the Supreme Court of British Columbia in an action wherein Pitt & Peterson are plaintiffs and Vancouver Copper Company, defendants, I have seized and taken possession of all the goods and chattels of the defendant company, situate at Mount Sicker, Vancouver Island, consisting of 3 Shay geared locomotives with ore cars, picks, shovels, steel, etc., furniture and contents of Mount Sicker hotel, also large quantities of cord wood. I will offer the said goods and chattels, or a sufficient portion thereof, for sale at public auction, on the premises, Mount Sicker, on Saturday, the 9th day of May, 1908, at 2 o'clock p.m. Terms of sale cash. F. RICHARDS, Sheriff for the County of Victoria for and on behalf Sheriff County of Nanaimo.

Sheriff's Office, Victoria, May 1, 1908.

NOTICE.

The above sale is postponed to a date to be fixed. F. G. RICHARDS, Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office, Victoria, June 10, 1908.

ABDUL'S MONEY PAYS EXPENSE

Cash Found In Yildiz Kiosk To Meet Cost of Dethroning Old Sultan

Constantinople, May 14.—The Minister of Finance has decided that the cash found in the Imperial palace of Yildiz, the residence of Abdul Hamid, amounting to nearly $8,000,000, shall be used in meeting the expenditures incurred by the mobilization of the first and second army corps and the march on Constantinople to restore constitutional government.

Relief Work at Adana.

Constantinople, May 14.—A mixed commission will leave Constantinople tomorrow for Adana to direct the work of relief in the interest of the sufferers from the anti-Christian uprising and to supervise the inquiry into the whole affair. The commission, which represents the movement, is composed of Beha Bey, a member of the Council of State; M. Arlin, Inspector of Courts at Monastir; Deputy Sherfik and Deputy Agah Babikian. The last mentioned is an Armenian.

Delightful Function.

A delightful invitation and subscription dance was given last evening in the A. O. U. W. hall by Mrs. Simpson and Mrs. Gorson, when nearly 100 were in attendance. The floor was in excellent condition for dancing and the music, supplied by Miss Thain's orchestra, was all that could be desired. Supper was served at midnight after which dancing was resumed until an early hour.

MOVE TO CHECK PROHIBITION WAVE

Sacrament Takes Steps to Put Kibosh on Move and Regulate Saloons

Sacramento, May 14.—The citizens of Sacramento have taken steps to regulate the saloons and forestall the prohibition movement instituted here and which promises to become widespread. The retail liquor traffic is to be regulated through an organization of citizens at large, including the saloon and anti-saloon people. This organization is to be permanent, and its object is to secure the closing of saloons at 1 o'clock at night, the abandonment of the entrances from saloons into apartments separated from the bars, strict regulations regarding the sale of liquor to drunkards, minors or drunken persons; the abolishment of slot machines, the extension of police surveillance to secure the observance of all laws in saloons and by saloon keepers.

The first meeting was held last night, when Senator Marshall Digs presided, and committees were named to forward the movement. The statements made at the meeting were that the object in organizing is to prevent total prohibition taking place in Sacramento as it did in Fresno. This is considered the last opportunity for the regulation of saloons here, and the only alternative is prohibition. Neither the saloon men nor the Anti-Saloon League appears satisfied with the movement.

CONDEMNS PRACTICES OF HIBERNIAN ORDER

Cardinal Logue of Dublin, Forbids Absolution to Guilty Parties

Special to The Evening Post.

Dublin, May 14.—Cardinal Logue has issued a strong condemnation of certain practices of the Ancient Order of Hibernians. He says that in some places the Hibernian society is a pest and a practical cruelty, many of its members indulging in drinking and dancing and compelling people by force to join the order, through threats of boycott and even personal violence. He forbids the priests from this time on to give absolution to those guilty of such practices.

SENATOR DAVIS' PLAN

Would Transfer Chartering Of Railways and Give Parliament Time For Other Matters

Ottawa, May 14.—In the senate yesterday Senator Davis resumed the debate on his bill to transfer the chartering of railways from parliament to the board of railway commissioners and the state department. He thought that this would give more time to look into more important matters. Committees of parliament might then have more time to look into questions of trade and commerce. It might have a militia committee, which should be appointed to look into what Canada was getting for the seven million dollars it was spending each year. He would like to see the men who were dancing around in fancy uniforms, and with tin swords, up before a committee explaining what they gave the country in return for what was spent on them. Senator Davis did not think his bill would pass this session, but he would move it next session.

ROCK STRIKES TRAIN

Narrow Escape From Bad Wreck On Branch Between Mattawa and Kippewa

North Bay, May 14.—A serious accident occurred last night on the Kippewa branch of the C. P. R. between Mattawa and Kippewa. That no casualties occurred is miraculous. The railway winds its way through the Laurentians along narrow ledges far above the Ottawa river and through many rock cuttings.

As the passenger train from the north, heavily laden, was passing through a particularly dangerous section where the roadbed clings to the mountainside, a five-ton rock crashed down a declivity, wrecking the locomotive, but fortunately not forcing the train over the precipice. The passengers were severely shaken up. Dynamite had to be utilized to clear the wreckage.

At Woman river, 200 miles west of North Bay, a freight train yesterday telescoped another freight standing at the station, smashing several cars, seriously injuring Conductor Lavle, of Chapeau, who was in the van.

Japanese Beaten by Mob

New York, May 14.—A Japanese restaurant keeper, named Lenkichi, was badly beaten by a crowd near the grand central station today. The trouble started in a subway car when a white man refused to allow the Japanese to occupy a seat with him. When the two left the car hot words passed and a fight followed. A crowd quickly gathered and took the white man's part. The Japanese was faring badly when the police interfered. The Japanese was arrested on the white man's complaint.

Frightful Stomach Trouble

For Four Long Years He Suffered—Then "Fruit-a-tives" Brought Relief.

Stratford Centre, Wolfe Co., Que. May 11th, 1908.

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I was told to try "Fruit-a-tives," and I sent for six boxes, and this was the only medicine that did me any good. I am now entirely well. I can eat ordinary food and I never have a headache, and for this relief I thank this wonderful remedy "Fruit-a-tives." My case is well known in this vicinity and you may publish this statement.

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SEIZED SCHOONER

U. S. Consul Endeavors To Obtain Release Of Woodbury On Payment Of Small Fine

Washington, May 14.—American Consul West, at Vancouver, B. C., has tried to obtain the release on the payment of a small fine of the American fishing schooner Levi Woodbury, seized by the Canadian government cruiser for alleged illegal fishing within the three-mile limit between the Haycock Islands last month.

The consul, it is understood, satisfied himself that there was no wilful attempt to fish illegally.

The schooner, it was claimed, had drifted within the prescribed limits as a result of a northwest wind and heavy tide. Discovering the situation, the captain started to pick up her dories and, it is asserted, did not hear the signals of the Canadian government boat to heave-to.

Coal for Navy Yards

Washington, May 14.—Contracts were let today by the navy department for the transportation of about 4,000 tons of coal from the Atlantic coast to the navy yards at Mare Island and Bremerton at $3.29 a ton.

Wound Proves Fatal.

Toronto, May 14.—Charles M. Leach, the English traveller, who shot himself in the mouth three weeks ago, died in St. Michael's hospital this morning. Leach was the representative of an English jewellery manufacturing firm.

In Hard Case.

Ottawa, May 14.—A stranger, who declined to give his name, applied to the city charity office for work today. He stated that he had walked from Dryden, near Kenora, some months ago and footed the 1,200 miles to Ottawa, getting only five days' work en route. He came originally from Birmingham, England, where he had been a bookkeeper.

Prevost Charges At Quebec.

Quebec, May 14.—The Prevost charges on motion of the premier, were today referred to a special committee of six members, who will sit after the House has adjourned. This action was taken despite the protest of Mr. Prevost that the investigation should be held while the House was in session.

Boxing Bout Stopped

New York, May 14.—The police stopped a boxing bout between Johnnie Glover, of Boston, and Johnny Murphy, of New York, at the Olympic A. C. at the end of the first round tonight. The fighters, the president and the scorekeepers of the club were arrested.

Tariff Bill in Senate

Washington, May 14.—Again the committee on finance was upheld when the senate today voted down an amendment by Senator Cummins to lower the duty on round iron and upheld the house rate, which was recommended by the senate committee. Almost the entire day was given up to a debate on the profits of the United States Steel Corporation and toward the end personalities were exchanged.

Senator Beveirge proposed an amendment to the tariff bill increasing the tax on tobacco and its products and charged that by continuing the short-weight packages of Spanish war period the tobacco trust was reaping a harvest of $21,000,000 a year.

Bad Situation at Erzeroum.

Erzeroum, Asiatic Turkey, Thursday, May 13.—Five Leaders of the mutiny have been arrested on orders issued by Field Marshal Ibraham Pasha, commander of the fourth army corps. There is great uneasiness in the city over the threatening attitude of the garrison, which has refused to accept 52 officers belonging to the Young Turks party.

MONTREAL STOCKS.

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Twin City	106½	106¼
Mont. Heat and Fower	120½	120⅜
Ogilvies	124	123¾
Montreal St. Ry.	212	211½
Toronto St. Ry.	123¾	123
Winnipeg St. Ry.	..	176
Dominion Coal, com.	67¾	67
Dom. Iron and S., com.	34¾	34½
Nova Scotia Steel, com.	63	62
C. P. R., Montreal	181¼	181
C. P. R., London	185½	..

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

(Too Late to Classify.)

FOR SALE—One double-seated buggy and English mail in good repair. Apply 1413 Fernwood Road. m15

CARPENTER WANTED—Must be a good roof hand. J. A. Lort, 12 Boyd St. m15

WHEN IN NEED of MILL WOOD, Phone 2073; $3.00 large load delivered to any part of city. E. A. Wilson, 326 Johns St. m15

WANTED—Four little pigs, Berkshires preferred. Apply Cosy Corner Tea Rooms. m15

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Mrs. Adams and family are desirous of expressing their sincere thanks to their many friends for kind acts and floral offerings extended to her during their late bereavement.

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VICTORIA LEADS! Never before sold in Canada, a darning machine for 35c. Tempts the children to do their own mending. A boon to bachelors. Hasby's Specialty Co., 1515 Douglas. m15

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WANTED—Situation as porter in good hotel. Apply 834 Johnson St. m15

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WANTED—Two roomers and boarders, $6 per week; comfortable home. Mrs. Taylor, 1136 Caledonia Ave. m15

LARGE LOT, Fernwood Road, near corner of Hillside Ave., will sell cheap; price $250; $100 cash, balance monthly. Apply James Morgan, 803 Government St., city. m15

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ADVERTISER, about to open large retail store in this city wishes to meet gentleman of means who could invest and devote whole time to business. Box 35, Colonist. m15

FOR SALE—EGGS FOR HATCHING.

FOR SALE—Pure bred Pekin duck eggs, $1.25 per sitting; delivered free. Box 18, Colonist. m14

Wood Tender

Tenders will be received by the Victoria School Board up to 31st May for 200 cords of straight red fir body wood cut in four-foot lengths, to be delivered when and where required.

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Delivered to any part of the city for $3.00 a large load.

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City of Saskatoon

TENDERS FOR LUMBER FOR FAIR BUILDINGS.

Sealed tenders will be received at the office of the undersigned and marked "Tenders for Lumber for Fair Buildings," until 5 o'clock p. m., Tuesday, May 18th, 1909, for the following, more or less, for immediate delivery, F.O.B., Saskatoon:

53,758 feet Spruce Drop Siding.
25,000 feet No. 2 Common Cedar.
6,706 feet 1-inch Spruce Flooring.
246,481 feet Dimensions.
21,600 feet Spruce Boarding for fence 12 feet high.
1,000 Cedar Posts.
465 M. Shingles.
334 Windows, 8 light, 8x10 inch.
88 Windows 8 light, 10x12 inch.

Further particulars may be had on application at the City Clerk's office.

J. H. TRUSDALE,
City Clerk.

Saskatoon, May 8, 1909.

CANCELLATION OF RESERVE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the reserve existing on lands on the Blackwater and Euchiniko rivers, in Cariboo district, and Rage 4, Coast district, notice of which was published in the British Columbia Gazette of July 2nd, 1908, and bearing date of June 30th, 1908, is cancelled.

ROBERT A. RENWICK.
Deputy Commissioner of Lands.
Department of Lands,
Victoria, B. C., May 1st, 1909.

VICTORIA WEST ARBITRATION BY-LAW 1907 AND AMENDING BY-LAW 1909.

NOTICE is hereby given on behalf of the Corporation of the City of Victoria that all persons affected by the validation by Statute of the Ralph survey map of Victoria West, whether in regard to lands claimed by them by the Corporation as encroaching on the streets, or in regard to intermediate lot boundaries, are required to bring their claims for adjustment before Dennis R. Harris, British Columbia Land Surveyor, the Arbitrator appointed and acting herein, and it is the intention of the Corporation, on and after the first day of July next, to seek a final award from the said Arbitrator, so that the assessment directed by the Statute can be made.

Applications, therefore, to the Arbitrator should be made before the first day of June next.

The official map can be inspected at the Land Registry, or a copy at the City Hall or at the office of the Arbitrator in Langley street.

Dated this 11th day of May, 1909.

MASON & MANN,
City Solicitors.

CANCELLATION OF RESERVE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the reserve existing on lands on Mud river, in Cariboo district, and Range 4, Coast district, notice of which was published in the British Columbia Gazette of July 2nd, 1908, and bearing date of June 30th, 1908, is cancelled.

ROBERT A. RENWICK,
Deputy Commissioner of Lands.
Department of Lands,
Victoria, B. C., May 1st, 1909.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Court House, Fernie.

SEALED TENDERS, superscribed "Tender for Court House, Fernie, B. C.," will be received by the Hon. the Minister of Public Works up to noon of Wednesday, the 9th day of June, 1909, for the erection and completion of a Concrete and Brick Court House at Fernie, B. C.

Plans, specifications, contract and forms of tender may be seen on and after the 10th day of May, 1909, at the offices of the Government Agent at Fernie; the Government Agent at Nelson; and at the Public Works Department, Victoria, B. C.

Each proposal must be accompanied by an accepted bank cheque or certificate of deposit on a chartered bank of Canada, made payable to the Hon. the Minister of Public Works, for a sum equivalent to ten per cent. of the amount of the tender, which shall be forfeited if the party tendering decline to enter into contract when called upon to do so, or if he fail to complete the work contracted for. The cheques or certificates of deposit of unsuccessful tenderers will be returned to them upon the execution of the contract.

Tenders will not be considered unless made out on the forms supplied, signed with the actual signature of the tenderer, and enclosed in the envelopes furnished.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

F. C. GAMBLE,
Public Works Engineer.
Public Works Department,
Victoria, B.C., May 4th, 1909. my8

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Trite School.

SEALED TENDERS, superscribed "Tender for School-house," will be received by the Hon. the Minister of Public Works up to noon of Wednesday, the 2nd day of June, 1909, for the erection and completion of a large one-room frame School-house on Lulu Island, Richmond Municipality.

Plans, specifications, contract and forms of tender may be seen on and after the 10th day of May, 1909, at the offices of the Government Agent at New Westminster; of W. T. Easterbrook, Esq., Secretary of the School Board, Eburne; and at the Public Works Department, Victoria, B. C.

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EVERED CRIDDLE,
Supervising Architect.
Public Works Department,
Victoria, B.C., May 4th, 1909. my9

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Lots at Esquimalt for sale at $250 each.

Desirable Island near Sidney, cheap for quick sale.

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THE BIG STORE SATURDAY ITEMS

Men's Furnishing Items for Saturday

Hundreds of men in this city can testify to the advantages of buying their furnishings from us. Our stock is very large and well assorted, containing everything that the average man wants, and in no section of the store are the price advantages greater.

MEN'S GLOVES—A special line of Dent's dogskin gloves, all sizes. Saturday, per pair **$1.00**

MEN'S NECKTIES—Fancy and plain washing ties, light and dark shades. Each ..... **10¢**

MEN'S NECKTIES—Men's silk ties, plain and fancy colors. Saturday, each ..... **25¢**

COLORED STRING TIES—Ladies' and gents' fancy colored string ties, in the latest shades. Saturday ..... **25¢**

MEN'S SOX—Fancy lisle thread and mercerized cotton, also fancy and plain cashmere sox. These are all 20 per cent under regular price. Saturday, per pair, 50c, 35c ..... **25¢**

MEN'S UNDERWEAR—Natural, blue stripe or plain white Balbriggan shirts and drawers. Just the thing for summer wear. All sizes, in four different makes. Saturday, each, **50¢**

BOYS' UNDERWEAR—Special line of boys' Balbriggan shirts and drawers. Sizes 20 in. to 30 in. chest. Regular value, 35c and 50c. Saturday, 25c and ..... **35¢**

BOYS' UNDERWEAR—Stout merino shirts and drawers for summer wear. All sizes. Saturday prices, per garment, 25c to ..... **50¢**

MEN'S SHIRTS—Men's English Oxford shirts, in fancy stripes, soft bosoms, stiff cuffs attached. Saturday.. **$1.25**

OXFORD SHIRTS—New print and woxen Oxford shirts for men, in plain colors, fancy stripes and checks, attached or separate cuffs, dressed bosom. Each **$1.00**

MEN'S UNDERWEAR—Men's natural woven ribbed wool shirts and drawers, for summer wear. All sizes to 44 chest. Special Saturday, each **$1.25**

MEN'S UNDERWEAR—A special line of men's white Aertox Cellular Mesh shirts and drawers, best English make. Drawers knee length, shirts short sleeves. Saturday, best quality, each **$1.00**

cheaper grade ..... **75¢**

MEN'S UNDERWEAR—Men's white dimity shirts and drawers, shirts coat shape, short sleeves, drawers knee length. Regular price 65c. Saturday, each ..... **50¢**

MEN'S UNDERWEAR—Men's stout natural merino shirts and drawers, also stripe merino in shirts only. Saturday, each ..... **50¢**

In the Clothing Store

Well placed to supply your clothing needs in this section. For values we cannot be beaten. Our clothing is the good-fitting, well-made kind that every man likes, the kind that will give you service and satisfaction. And our prices make it possible for any man to be well and correctly dressed at moderate cost.

MEN'S SUITS, in fine worsteds and serges, also fancy tweeds in greys, browns and mixed greens. A fine assortment. Priced from $12.50 to **$27.50**

MEN'S STRAW HATS, boater and crush, Panama shapes. Prices from 35c to **$2.50**

MEN'S FANCY VESTS, in white ducks, piques and fine wool cashmeres. Prices from $1.25 to **$3.50**

Hosiery at 3 Pairs for $1.00

A special assortment of Hosiery for women and children at this price. Lisle, cotton and cashmere hose are included, and every line is a special value. Some of the best hose that we have ever offered at this price are here for you now. These are some of the kinds:

WOMEN'S PLAIN GAUZE LISLE HOSE—In black, tan, cardinal, sky, grey and champagne. 35c, 3 pair..... **$1.00**

WOMEN'S GAUZE LISLE HOSE—Full fashioned, lace ankles, in black and tan. 35c, 3 pair for **$1.00**

WOMEN'S SILK FINISHED COTTON HOSE—Black, with natural wool feet. 35c, 3 pair **$1.00**

WOMEN'S SILK FINISHED COTTON HOSE—Black, with white cotton feet. 35c, 3 pair for **$1.00**

WOMEN'S EMBROIDERED COTTON HOSE—In black only. 35c, 3 pair for **$1.00**

WOMEN'S HOSE—Outsize, silk finished cotton hose, double heel and toe. 35c, 3 pair for **$1.00**

WOMEN'S RIBBED CASHMERE HOSE—In all sizes from 8½ to 10. 35c, 3 pair for **$1.00**

Women's Dainty Neckwear

NEW SILK WASH TIES, with pretty colored stripes and fringed ends ..... **25¢**

COLORED SILK TIES, with fancy embroidered and tassel ends, in sky, nile, brown, mauve, pink, reseda, navy and white, 50c and ..... **75¢**

LAWN COLLARS, with six pin tucks and tourist ruchings, new shape ..... **25¢**

STOCK COLLARS, of white percale, with pretty colored dots, good washing quality ..... **35¢**

WHITE LAWN STOCK COLLARS, with lawn and Val. ruching and eyelet embroidery ..... **40¢**

Patent Medicines and Toilet Articles

The enlarging of these departments and our taking up of new lines is proving very popular, and everybody seems pleased at the chance to buy these lines at something less than they are usually sold at. We intend making these departments very useful to you in the money-saving line, and this list is worthy of your careful perusal.

Patent Medicines at Popular Prices

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Finest Granular Effervescent Citrate of Magnesia—A mild, cooling and refreshing aperient. Per bottle **25c**

Fruit Saline ..... **50¢**
Abbey's Salt (large) ..... **50¢**
Eno's Fruit Salt ..... **75¢**
Carlsbad Salt ..... **90¢**
Special Liver Pills ..... **10¢**
Dodds' Kidney Pills ..... **40¢**
Palatable Flavored Castor Oil, 20c and.... **15¢**
Castoria ..... **30¢**
Ferrol ..... **90¢**
Ferrozone ..... **45¢**
Toothache Drops ..... **10¢**
Toothache Gum ..... **10¢**
Eclectric Oil ..... **20¢**
British Pile Ointment ..... **20¢**
Eczema Ointment ..... **20¢**
Carbolic Ointment ..... **15¢**
Perfect Zinc Ointment ..... **20¢**
Zam-Buk ..... **40¢**

High Class Toilet Articles and Perfumery

SPECIAL

Marie Antoinette Borated Camphor, Shampoo Powders, Dandruff Remover and Hair Tonic, 5c each, or box of 12.. **50c**

Castile Soap (Conde), 1-lb. bar ..... **10¢**
Castile Soap, 3-lb. bar ..... **25¢**
Zam-Buk Soap, per tab ..... **25¢**
Cuticura Soap, 85c per box, or per tab..... **30¢**
Packer's Pine Tar Soap, per tab ..... **30¢**
4711 Soap, per tab ..... **20¢**
Wright's Coal Tar Soap, per tab ..... **15¢**
Cleaver's Carbolic and Glycerine Soap, tab, **15¢**
Lavender Toilet Ammonia ..... **25¢**
Kleen Hat, a perfect straw hat cleaner ..... **20¢**
Electro Silicon Plate Polish ..... **10¢**
Witch Hazel (large bottle) ..... **25¢**
Hospital Cotton Wool, Quality brand, per lb **45¢**
Toilet Paper, rolls or pkts., 5 for ..... **25¢**
Sachet Powder, in aluminum top jar, 1 oz.. **50¢**
Perfumes (special), 35c and ..... **25¢**

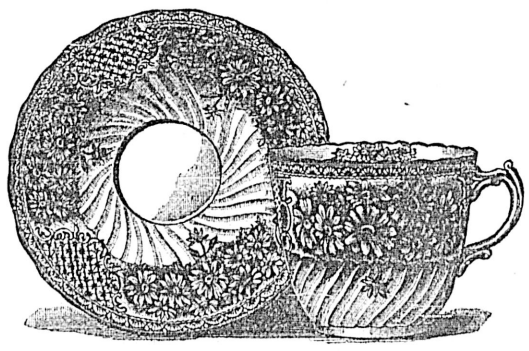
Lunch at Our Tea Rooms

Saturday Menu 12.00 Till 2.00 p.m.

Fried Cod Steaks — Boiled Mutton, Caper Sauce — Hot Roast Chicken
Frest Fruit with Whipped Cream — Crackers — Cheese

Saturday Economies in the Annex

This section of the store in a quiet way offers price advantages that mean a lot to the purchaser in the long run. The savings on the prices of the various lines that we carry in hardware, crockery and kitchen furnishings are real, and very material, when you consider the quantities of such articles that you have to buy in a year. These lines are all money-savers for somebody.



ELECTRIC LIGHT PAPER SHADES, assorted colors. Saturday ..... **25¢**

CHINA CUPS AND SAUCERS, narrow pink band, medium size. Saturday ..... **10¢**

CHINA TEA PLATES, two sizes, gold edge and sprig pattern. Saturday ..... **10¢**

WOOD TOWEL ROLLERS, metal ends, good finish, 18 inch width. Saturday, **15¢**

FOLDING TUB BENCHES. Regular $2.25. Saturday **$1.75**

FOLDING TOWEL RACKS, 8 arms. Regular 35c. Saturday ..... **25¢**

COVERED PICNIC BASKETS, 4 sizes. 30c, 25c, ... **20¢**

WOOD PICNIC PLATES, very firm. Saturday, per dozen ..... **10¢**

BREAD KNIVES, carved wood handles. Saturday ..... **15¢**

TIN DISH PANS, 3 sizes, 35c, 25c ..... **20¢**

PARLOR BROOMS, 4 sizes. Saturday.. **25¢**

GARDEN HOSE, medium grade, 50-ft. Saturday **$5.50**

CHINA PLATES, two sizes, fancy decorations. Regular 50c. Saturday ..... **25¢**

HUNTERS' AXES, handy size. Saturday.. **50¢**

BOYS' AXES, good steel. Saturday ..... **75¢**

FULL SIZE AXES. Regular $1.00. Saturday ..... **65¢**

GARDEN RAKES. Saturday ..... **50¢**

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WINE COLORED CALF LEATHER, BLUCHER CUT OXFORD **$3.00**

TAN CALF COLONIAL PUMP, with buckle..... **$3.00**

BLACK PATENT LEATHER OXFORDS, whole cut fox. Price **$3.00**

BLACK KID OXFORDS, dull kid tops **$3.00**

BLACK KID OXFORDS, with rubber heels **$3.00**

And many others. These shoes are all of American make, have light hand turned soles and make a delightfully cool and comfortable shoe for summer wear.

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ENVELOPES—No. 7, put up in quarter thousand boxes. Price, per box ..... **50¢**

ENVELOPES—Special No. 7, put up in boxes of 500. Price, per box ..... **50¢**

ENVELOPES—Linen finish, 250 in a box. Per package, 15c, per box ..... **85¢**

ENVELOPES—Duplex, blue lined, well gummed. Per thousand **$1.50**

Great Values in Hair Goods

These lines just came to hand, and by buying a larger quantity than usual we secured somewhat better prices than usual. These articles are exactly what are needed in giving the hair the fashionable shape, and you will find them somewhat lower in price than they have been offered before.

NON-COLLAPSO HAIR ROLL, as now worn, round and with centre parting. Price only ..... **15¢**

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THE QUEEN'S WAY PLAITS, in all shades. Each ..... **35¢**

LE CHIC PIN CURLS, easy to adjust, always ready, made of real human hair. Each, 25c, 40c, 50c, 75c, $1.00 and.... **$1.75**

REAL HAIR SWITCHES, from $1.00 to **$3.50**

Women's Kid and Fabric Gloves

WOMEN'S LISLE THREAD GLOVES, two clasp, in tans, greys, black and white. Per pair, 50c, 35c and ..... **25¢**

WOMEN'S SILK GLOVES, two clasps, double topped, in tan, greys, mode, black and white. Per pair ..... **65¢**

WOMEN'S TAFFETA SILK GLOVES, in black only. Per pair ..... **65¢**

WOMEN'S TAFFETA SILK GLOVES, two clasp, in white and cream. Per pair ..... **50¢**

WOMEN'S LONG HEAVY SILK GLOVES, double tipped, in tan, mode, black and white. Per pair **$1.00**

CHILDREN'S LISLE THREAD GLOVES, two clapss, in all sizes, tan, black and white..... **25¢**

WOMEN'S GLACE AND SUEDE KID GLOVES, two clasps, tans, browns, slate, mode, beaver, black and white, Trefousse make **$1.50**

WOMEN'S GLACE KID GLOVES, two clasps, pique sewn, in tans, browns, slate, beaver, mode, green, navy, Copenhagen, rose, black and white, Trefousse make **$1.75**

WOMEN'S DOGSKIN GLOVES, one and two clasps, white and tan, Dent's make **$1.25**

WOMEN'S GLACE KID GLOVES, two clasps, tans, browns, slate, navy, black and white, Perrin's make **$1.00**

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Saturday Candy News

THE BIG SPECIAL FOR SATURDAY is the box of fine Chocolates at ..... **25¢**

Delicious Cream Caramels—they are most popular, made of pure cream and selected nuts.

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